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CALIFORNIA LEGISLATURE-1997-98 REGULAR SESSION

ASSEMBLY BILL

No. 598

Introduced by Assembly Member Davis

February 25, 1997

An act to amend Sections 1500, 2571, 2572, 10554, 16197, 17047, 33050, 41012, 41202, 41601, 41972, 42129, 46200.5, 46201.5, 54732, 56027, 56131, 56132, 56136, 56155.5, 56156.6, 56200, 56205, 56207, 56361, 56364.1, 56365, 56366, 56366.3, 56446, 56832, 56835.04, 56836.03, 56836.08, 56836.09, 56836.12, 56836.21, and 56864 of, to amend, repeal, and add 56836.12, 56836.21, 56836.24, and 56864 of, to amend and renumber Section 56364.5 of, to amend and repeal Section 56156.5 of, to add Sections 17225, 56044, 56046, 56047, and 56048 56048, and 56156.4 to, and to repeal Sections 41202, 56160, 56161, 56169, 56365.5, 56441.10, and 56447 of, the Education Code, and to amend Sections 97.2 and 97.3 of the Revenue and Taxation Code, relating to special education, and declaring the urgency thereof, to take effect immediately.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST AB 598, as amended, Davis. Special education.

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the Poochigian Special (1) Existing law, and Davis Education Reform Act (the act), establishes a method for financing special education that is based on the pupil population in each special education local plan area (SELPA) and equalizes funding among SELPAs. Existing law requires, commencing in the 1998-99 fiscal year, and each fiscal year thereafter, allocation of funds to be made to SELPAs. The administrator of each SELPA is responsible for the fiscal administration of the annual budget allocation plan for special education programs and the allocation of state and federal funds to the school districts and county offices of education composing the SELPA in accordance with the local plan. Existing law requires each SELPA to submit a revised local plan on or before the time it is required to submit a local plan. Superintendent of **Public** Instruction Until the (superintendent) approves the revised local plan, the SELPA is required to continue to operate under the reporting and prescribed accounting requirements bv Department of Education for the special education finance provisions repealed by the act.

This bill would make substantive and technical changes to provisions of law relating to special education to conform those provisions with the provisions of the act.

(2) Existing law prohibits, upon the submittal or approval of a revised local plan, special education programs and services already in operation in school districts or county offices of education from being transferred to another school district or county office of education or from a county office of education to a school district unless the special education local plan area has developed a plan for the transfer that addresses certain minimum requirements.

This bill would make this provision applicable to special education programs commencing on July 1, 1998, whether or not a special education local plan area has a submitted or approved revised local plan.

(3) Existing law requires the superintendent to review the appropriateness of a new public and nonpublic school special education placement of an individual with exceptional needs if the cost of the placement exceeds \$20,000.

This bill would repeal this provision.

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(4) Existing law requires the superintendent to develop a funding formula for the distribution of federal funds under Title II of the Education of the Handicapped Act Amendments of 1986.

This bill would repeal this provision.

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(5) Existing law requires the superintendent to adopt rules and regulations to ensure that apportionments, inclusive of federal funds, for all individuals with exceptional needs between the ages of 3 and 5 years, inclusive, shall be paid to the extent permitted by federal law for no more than 3% of the statewide population of children between the ages of 3 and 5 years, inclusive.

This bill would repeal this provision.

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(6) Existing law provides that the former method of funding special education shall apply for the purpose of recertification of amounts funded under those provisions until June 30, 2001.

This bill would instead provide that the former method of funding special education shall apply for the purpose of submitting corrections to amounts funded under those provisions until June 30, 1999, and for the purpose of certifications until June 30, 2000.

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(7) Existing law, the new funding formula for funding special education, requires computation of a special disabilities adjustment for the 1998–99 fiscal year.

This bill would prohibit the amount of funds that a SELPA receives for the special disabilities adjustment in the 1998–99 fiscal year from being used in the calculation of a base amount for the 1999–2000 fiscal year.

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(8) Existing law, the new funding formula for funding special education, requires computation of a base amount in the 1998-99 fiscal year, that is calculated by subtracting specified funds received by a SELPA for the 1997-98 fiscal year from other amounts received by the SELPA for the 1997-98 fiscal year.

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This bill would include in that base amount funds received pursuant to a pilot project for pupils who were previously placed in nonpublic, nonsectarian schools and would not include in that base amount federal funds received for the purposes of funding pupils with low-incidence disabilities and funding vocational training and job placement for pupils with exceptional needs through the Project Workability I program.

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(9) Existing law requires the State Department of Education to administer an extraordinary cost pool to protect SELPAs from the extraordinary costs associated with single placements in nonpublic, nonsectarian schools. Existing law provides that SELPAs are eligible to submit claims for costs of any nonpublic, nonsectarian school placements exceeding a threshold amount.

This bill would exclude placements reimbursed for licensed children's institutions from the extraordinary cost pool. The bill would provide that SELPAs are eligible to submit claims only for costs of any new nonpublic, nonsectarian school placements in excess of those in existence in the 1997–98 fiscal year and exceeding the threshold amount.

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(10) This bill would declare that it is to take effect immediately as an urgency statute and become operative on July 1, 1998.

Vote: 2/3. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: yes. State-mandated local program: no.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 1500 of the Education Code is 2 amended to read:
- 3 1500. All expenses shall be paid out of the County
- School Service Fund necessary for the county board of
- 5 education and the county superintendent of schools to
- 6 perform the duties and render the services required by 7 and comply with Sections 1042, 1250, 1252, 1270, 1297,
- 8 1299, 1330, 1601, 1602, 1702, 41020, 41360, 42621, 42622,
- 9 45035, 45056, 60601, 60602, 60605, 84040, 85221, 85222,
- 10 87809, Chapter 7.2 (commencing with Section 56836) of

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Part 30, and Part 1 (commencing with Section 100) of Division 1 of the Unemployment Insurance Code.

This section shall not be construed to prohibit support from the county general fund from being provided for duties and services performed pursuant to the sections 5 and part enumerated above. 6

SEC. 2. Section 2571 of the Education Code is 8 amended to read:

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- 2571. The Superintendent of Public Instruction shall 10 make following computations for the superintendent of schools:
- (a) Add the property tax revenues received for the 1977–78 fiscal year pursuant to subdivisions (b), (c) and 14 (d) of Section 2500, Section 2501 for purposes of Section 1705, Section 2502 for purposes of Section 56811, Section 16 2505 for special education tuition charges, Section 42909 17 for purposes of Section 56604, and Section 56364 or 18 Section 56364.5 56364.6, as applicable. For purposes of this subdivision, section references are to sections effective during the 1977–78 fiscal year.
- (b) Divide the sum computed pursuant to subdivision 22 (a) by the total amount of property tax revenues received by the county superintendent of schools for the 1977-78 24 fiscal year.
 - (c) Multiply the quotient computed pursuant to subdivision (b) by the total amount of property tax revenues received by the county superintendent of schools for the then current fiscal year.
 - (d) Subtract the product computed pursuant to subdivision (c) from the total amount of property tax received county by the superintendent schools for the then current fiscal year.
 - (e) For purposes of subdivisions (c) and (d), "total property tax revenues" include taxes on the secured roll, taxes on the unsecured roll, prior year taxes subventions of property taxes.
- 37 SEC. 3. Section 2572 of the Education Code is 38 amended to read:
- 39 2572. The product computed pursuant to subdivision (c) of Section 2571 is the amount of property tax revenues

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be allocated to special education programs. This amount shall be subtracted pursuant to subdivision (c) of Section 56836.08.

4 SEC. 4. Section 10554 of the Education Code is 5 amended to read:

10554. (a) In order for the governing board to carry 6 out its responsibilities pursuant to this chapter, there is established the Educational Telecommunication Fund. The amount of moneys to be deposited in the fund 10 shall be the amount of any offset made to the principal apportionments made pursuant to Sections 1909, 2558, 52616, Article 1.5 (commencing with Section 12 42238, 13 52335) of Chapter 9 of Part 28, and Chapter 7.2 14 (commencing with Section 56836) of Part 30, based on a apportionments these 15 finding that were 16 accordance with law. The maximum amount that may be annually deposited in the fund from the offset shall be one 17 18 million dollars (\$1,000,000), or if the total of the offset is less than one million dollars (\$1,000,000), then the total amount of the offset. The Controller shall establish an account to receive and expend moneys in the fund. The placement of the moneys in the fund shall occur only by the Superintendent of Public a finding Instruction and the Director of Finance that the principal apportionments made pursuant to Sections 1909, 2558, 26 42238, 52616, and Article 1.5 (commencing with Section 27 52335) of Chapter 9 of Part 28, and Chapter 7.2 (commencing with Section 56836) of Part 30, were not in accordance with existing law, and were so identified pursuant to Sections 1624, 14506, 41020, 41020.2, 41320, 42127.2, and 42127.3, or an independent audit that was 32 approved by the State Department of Education.

the (b) Moneys in fund established pursuant 34 subdivision (a) shall only be available for expenditure 35 upon appropriation by the Legislature in the Budget Act.

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(c) The moneys in the fund established pursuant to 36 subdivision (a) may be expended by the governing board 37 to carry out the purposes of this chapter, including for the 38 following purposes:

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(1) To support the activities of the team established pursuant to subdivision (c) of Section 10551.

assist the districts school and superintendents of schools in purchasing both hardware allow school districts, software to superintendents of schools, and the State Department of Education to be linked for school business administrative purposes. The governing board establish a matching share requirement that applicant 10 school districts and county superintendents of schools must fulfill to receive those funds. It is the intent of the 12 Legislature to encourage the distribution of grants to school districts and county superintendents of schools to 14 the widest extent possible.

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- (3) To provide technical assistance through county 15 16 offices of education to school districts in implementing 17 the standards established pursuant to subdivision (a) of Section 10552.
- 19 (d) This section shall become inoperative as of January 20 1, 2000.
- SEC. 5. Section 16197 of the Education Code is 21 22 amended to read:
- 16197. Notwithstanding any other provisions of this 24 article to the contrary, apportionments for the purchase of mobile classrooms for the education of physically handicapped pupils enrolled in integrated programs, as set forth in Chapter 7.2 (commencing with Section 56836) of Part 30 (commencing with Section and for the education therapy 30 speech-handicapped pupils may, subject to the approval of the State Department of Education, be made to any school district not otherwise eligible to receive apportionments under Article (commencing with 1 Section 16000) and Article 2 (commencing with Section 16150) for that purpose.
- The State Department of Education may approve applications in those situations where mobile classrooms 37 will be used by a county superintendent of schools to educate physically handicapped pursuant to Sections 1850 and Chapter 7.2 (commencing

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with Section 56836) of Part 30. Mobile classrooms shall be used pursuant to an agreement authorized by Section 3 41308.

4 Except as otherwise provided in this section, not more 5 than 50 percent of the amount of any apportionment pursuant to this section shall be repaid. Repayments shall be made in the following manner: Fifty percent of the amount of the apportionment shall be repaid in full with interest by the district, in annual 10 amounts and at an interest rate over the period as the State Allocation Board may determine, not to exceed 20 vears from the date the apportionment became final. In 12 13 any school year in which 50 percent or more of the pupils 14 in average daily attendance, as determined by the county superintendent of schools, and served by the facilities are 16 not pupils from districts other than the applicant district, 17 the repayment for the succeeding fiscal year shall be an amount which would have been payable if the district had been required to repay 100 percent of the apportionment 20 over that period.

The county board of supervisors of the county whose superintendent of schools uses mobile classrooms during any fiscal year shall at the time or times within the fiscal year as may be agreed upon between the county and the 25 school district, but in any case not later than the end of the 26 fiscal year, pay to the school district having the obligation to repay the apportionment made under this section for the purchase of mobile classrooms, an amount equal to 100 percent of the amount the district is required to repay 30 in the fiscal year with respect to the apportionment described above.

The county board of supervisors shall raise the amount required through a general tax levy on the property 34 within the participating districts, or through a tuition 35 charge not to exceed one hundred sixty dollars (\$160) a 36 year per pupil by the county superintendent of schools to 37 the school districts of residence of pupils attending the 38 facility including the district having the obligation to repay, or through a combination of these.

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The county superintendent of schools shall notify the county board of supervisors of his or her intention to approve a school district's application for an allocation under this article before he or she approves the application.

The State Department of Education shall prepare specifications or regulations for the construction of mobile classrooms to provide for a useful life of no less than 20 years.

The use of mobile classrooms shall meet specifications described by the State Department of Education as they relate to the needs of the physically handicapped pupils being served, as set forth in Chapter 7.2 (commencing 14 with Section 56836) of Part 30.

SEC. 6. Section 17047 of the Education Code is 16 amended to read:

17047. (a) The allowable new building area for the 18 purpose of providing special day class and Resource Specialist Program facilities for special education pupils 20 shall be negotiated and approved by the State Allocation 21 Board, with any necessary assistance to be provided by the Special Education Division of the State Department of Education. The square footage allowances shall be 24 computed within the maximum square footage set forth in the following schedule:

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28	Basic Need	Levels	ing*	Footage
29	Nonsevere Disability			
30	—Specific Learning			
31	Disability	All	12	1080
32	—Mildly Mentally			
33	Retarded	All	12	1080
34	—Severe Disorder			
35	of Language	All	10	1080
36	Severe Disability			
37	—Deaf and Hard of			
38	Hearing	All	10	1080
39	—Visually Im-			
40	paired	All	10	1330 (1080 + 250 storage)

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1	—Orthopedically and			
2	Other Health Im-			
3	paired	All	12	2000 (1080 + 400 toilets
4				+ 250 storage + 270 daily
5				living skills + 3000 thera-
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7				additional classroom)
8	—Autistic	All	6	1160 (1080 + 80 toilets)
9	-Severely Emotion-			
10	ally Disturbed	All	6	1160 (1080 + 80 toilets)
11	—Severely Mentally			
12	Retarded	Elem.	12	1750 (1080 + 400 toilets
13				+ 270 daily living skills)
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15				+ 270 daily living skills +
16				400 vocational)
17	—Developmentally			
18	Disabled	All	10	2000 (1080 + 400 toilets
19				+ 250 storage + 270 daily
20				living skills + 3000 thera-
21				py** + 750 therapy per
22				additional CR)
23	—Deaf-Blind/Multi	All	5	1400 (1080 + 200 stor-
24				age + 150 toilets)
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1				Square
2			Pupils	Feet
3	Resource Specialist Pro-	All Maximum	1-8	240
4	gram for those pupils with	caseload for	9-28	480
5	disabling conditions whose	RS is 28, not all	29-37	720
6	needs have been identified	served at same	38–56	960
7	by the Individualized	time.	57-65	1200
8	Education Program (IEP)		66-85	1440
9	Team, who require special		86–94	1680
10	education for a portion of		95-112	1920
11	the day, and who are as-			
12	signed to a regular class-			
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* Special pupils may usually be grouped without accordance to type, especially in smaller districts or where attendance zones may indicate, to maximize loadings per classroom where there are children with similar educational need (Sec. 56364 or Sec. 56364.6, as applicable).

** Therapy add-ons not to be provided if on same site as orthopedically impaired.

*** To a maximum of 4 percent of the unhoused average daily attendance of the district, per new school or addition, to a maximum of 1920 square feet.

- (b) The allowable new building area shall be computed by dividing the number of eligible pupils by the minimum required loading per classroom for special day classes for the type of pupils to be enrolled. No new or additional facility shall be provided for special day classes unless the number of additional eligible pupils equals one-third or more of the minimum required loading.
- 38 SEC. 7. Section 17225 is added to the Education Code, 39 to read:

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17225. Any 1 facilities constructed or leased for 2 individuals with exceptional needs shall be designed and, 3 possible, located to achieve maximum possible interaction between individuals with exceptional needs 5 and other pupils.

- SEC. 8. Section 33050 of the Education Code is amended to read:
- 8 33050. (a) The governing board of a school district or 9 a county board of education may, on a districtwide or 10 countywide basis or on behalf of one or more of its schools 11 or programs, after a public hearing on the matter, request 12 the State Board of Education to waive all or part of any 13 section of this code or any regulation adopted by the State 14 Board of Education that implements a provision of this 15 code that may be waived, except:
 - (1) Article 1 (commencing with Section 15700) and Article 2 (commencing with Section 15780) of Chapter 6 of Part 10.
- 19 (2) Chapter 8 (commencing with Section 16000) and 20 Chapter 9 (commencing with Section 16400) of Part 10.
- 21 (3) Chapter 22 (commencing with Section 17700), 22 Chapter 23 (commencing with Section 17760), and 23 Chapter 25 (commencing with Section 17785) of Part 10.
 - (4) Part 13 (commencing with Section 22000).
- 25 (5) Section 35735.1.
 - (6) Paragraph (8) of subdivision (a) of Section 37220.
 - (7) The following provisions of Part 23:
- 28 (A) Chapter 1 (commencing with Section 39000).
- 29 (B) Article 1 (commencing with Section 39100) to 30 Article 6 (commencing with Section 39210), inclusive, of
- 31 Chapter 2.

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- 32 (C) Section 39248; Sections 39313 to 39325, inclusive; 33 Sections 39360.5 and 39363 and subdivision (a) of Section
- 34 39363.5; and Sections 39618 to 39621, inclusive.
 - (8) Sections 52163, 52165, 52166, and 52178.
- 36 (9) Article 3 (commencing with Section 52850) of 37 Chapter 12 of Part 28.
- 38 (10) The identification and assessment criteria
- 39 relating to any categorical aid program, including
- 40 Sections 52164.1 and 52164.6.

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(11) Sections 41000 to 41360, inclusive; Sections 41420 1 to 41423, inclusive; Sections 41600 to 41866, inclusive; Sections 41920 to 42911, inclusive; Article 3 (commencing with Section 44930) of Chapter 4 of Part 25; Part 26 5 Section 46000) (commencing with and Chapter (commencing with Section 48900) and Chapter 6.5 6 (commencing with Section 49060) of Part 27: or regulations in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations adopted pursuant to Article 3 (commencing with Section 44930) of Chapter 4 of Part 25. 10

(12) Section 51513.

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- (13) Chapter 6.10 (commencing with Section 52120) of Part 28, relating to the Class Size Reduction Program.
- (14) Section 56364.1, except that this restriction shall not prohibit the State Board of Education from approving any waiver of Section 56364 or Section 56364.5 56364.6, as applicable, relating to full inclusion.
- (15) Article 4 (commencing with Section 60640) of 19 Chapter 5 of Part 33, relating to the STAR Program, and any other provisions of Chapter 5 (commencing with Section 60600) of Part 33 that establish requirements for the STAR Program.
- (b) Any waiver of provisions related to the programs identified in Section 52851 shall be granted only pursuant 24 to Article 3 (commencing with Section 52850) of Chapter 12 of Part 28.
 - (c) The waiver of an advisory committee required by shall be granted only pursuant to Article 4 (commencing with Section 52870) of Chapter 12 of Part 28.
- (d) Any request for a waiver submitted by 32 governing board of a school district or a county board of education pursuant to subdivision (a) shall include a 34 written statement as to (1) whether the exclusive 35 representative of employees, if any, as provided 36 Chapter 10.7 (commencing with Section 3540) 4 of Title 1 of the Government Code, 37 Division participated in the development of the waiver and (2) the exclusive representative's position regarding waiver.

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- (e) Any request for a waiver submitted pursuant to subdivision (a) relating to a regional occupational center 3 program established pursuant to (commencing with Section 52300) of Chapter 9 of Part 28, that is operated by a joint powers entity established pursuant to Chapter 5 (commencing with Section 6500) of Division 7 of Title 1 of the Government Code, shall be submitted as a joint waiver request for each participating school district and shall meet both of the following 10 conditions:
 - (1) Each joint waiver request shall comply with all of the requirements of this article.
- (2) The submission of a joint waiver request shall be 14 approved by a unanimous vote of the governing board of the joint powers agency. 15
- governing board of any school (f) The 17 requesting a waiver under this section of any provision of 18 Article 5 (commencing with Section 39390) of Chapter 3 19 of Part 23 shall provide written notice of any public 20 hearing it conducted pursuant to subdivision (a), at least 30 days prior to the hearing, to each public agency identified under Section 39394.
- 23 SEC. 9. Section 41012 of the Education Code is 24 amended to read:
 - 41012. For purposes of determining allowances pursuant to Chapter 8 (commencing with Section 52200) of Part 28, and Chapter 3 (commencing with Section 56500) and Chapter 4 (commencing with Section 56600) of Part 30, the Superintendent of Public Instruction shall require the use of a uniform cost accounting procedure, as set forth in the California School Accounting Manual.
- SEC. 10. Section 41202 of the Education Code, as 32 33 added by Chapter 82 of the Statutes of 1989, is repealed.
- 34 SEC. 11. Section 41202 of the Education Code, as amended by Chapter 308 of the Statutes of 1995, is 35 36 amended to read:
- 41202. The words and phrases set forth in subdivision 37 38 (b) of Section 8 of Article XVI of the Constitution of the
- State of California shall have the following meanings:

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(a) "Moneys to be applied by the State," as used in subdivision (b) of Section 8 of Article XVI of the California Constitution, means appropriations from the General Fund that are made for allocation to school districts, as defined, or community college districts. An appropriation that is withheld, impounded, or made without provisions for its allocation to school districts or community college districts, shall not be considered to be "moneys to be applied by the State."

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(b) "General Fund revenues which appropriated pursuant to Article XIII B," as used in paragraph (1) of subdivision (b) of Section 8 of Article XVI, means General Fund revenues that are the proceeds 14 of taxes as defined by subdivision (c) of Section 8 of Article XIII B of the California Constitution, including, 16 for the 1986-87 fiscal year only, any revenues that are determined to be in excess of the appropriations limit established pursuant to Article XIII B for the fiscal year in which they are received. General Fund revenues for a fiscal year to which paragraph (1) of subdivision (b) is being applied shall include, in that computation, only General Fund revenues for that fiscal year that are the proceeds of taxes, as defined in subdivision (c) of Section 8 of Article XIII B of the California Constitution, and shall not include prior fiscal year revenues. Commencing with the 1995-96 fiscal year, and each fiscal year thereafter, "General Fund revenues that are the proceeds of taxes," as defined in subdivision (c) of Section 8 of Article XIII B of the California Constitution, includes any portion of the proceeds of taxes received from the state sales tax that are transferred to the counties pursuant to, and only if, legislation is enacted during the 1995-96 fiscal year the purpose of which is to realign children's programs. The 34 amount of the proceeds of taxes shall be computed for any fiscal year in a manner consistent with the manner in 36 which the amount of the proceeds of taxes was computed by the Department of Finance for purposes of the 37 Governor's Budget for the Budget Act of 1986.

39 (c) "General Fund revenues appropriated for school districts," as used in paragraph (1) of subdivision (b) of AB 598 **— 16 —**

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Section 8 of Article XVI of the California Constitution,

- means the sum of appropriations made that are for
- allocation to school districts, as defined in Section 41302.5, regardless of whether those appropriations were made
- from the General Fund to the Superintendent of Public
- Instruction, to the Controller, or to any other fund or state
- agency for the purpose of allocation to school districts.
- The full amount of any appropriation shall be included in
- the calculation of the percentage required by paragraph
- (1) of subdivision (b) of Article XVI, without regard to 10
- any unexpended balance of any appropriation. reappropriation of funds appropriated in any prior year 12

13 shall not be included in the sum of appropriations.

- (d) "General Fund revenues appropriated 15 community college districts," as used in paragraph (1) of subdivision (b) of Section 8 of Article XVI of the 16 California Constitution, means the sum of appropriations 17 18 made that are for allocation to community college districts, regardless of whether those appropriations were made from the General Fund to the Controller, to the Chancellor of the California Community Colleges, or to any other fund or state agency for the purpose of allocation to community college districts. The full amount of any appropriation shall be included in the calculation 24 paragraph 25 of the percentage required by subdivision (b) of Article XVI, without regard to any appropriation. unexpended balance of any Any reappropriation of funds appropriated in any prior year shall not be included in the sum of appropriations.
- 30 (e) "Total districts allocations to school community college districts from General Fund proceeds of taxes appropriated pursuant to Article XIII B," as used 33 in paragraph (2) or (3) of subdivision (b) of Section 8 of Article XVI of the California Constitution, means the sum 34 35 of appropriations made that are for allocation to school 36 districts, as defined in Section 41302.5, and community 37 college districts, regardless of whether appropriations were made from the General Fund to the 38 Controller, to the Superintendent of Public Instruction, to the Chancellor of the California Community Colleges,

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or to any other fund or state agency for the purpose of allocation to school districts and community college districts. The full amount of any appropriation shall be included in the calculation of the percentage required by paragraph (2) or (3) of subdivision (b) of Section 8 of Article XVI, without regard to any unexpended balance any appropriation. Any reappropriation of funds appropriated in any prior year shall not be included in the 8 9 sum of appropriations.

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- (f) "General Fund revenues appropriated for school districts and community college districts, respectively" and "moneys to be applied by the state for the support of school districts and community college districts," as used 14 in Section 8 of Article XVI of the California Constitution, shall include funds appropriated for the Child Care and Services Act pursuant to Chapter 16 Development (commencing with Section 8200) of Part 6 and shall not 18 include any of the following:
- (1) Any appropriation that is not made for allocation 20 to a school district, as defined in Section 41302.5, or to a community college district regardless of whether the appropriation is made for any purpose that may be considered to be for the benefit to a school district, as defined in Section 41302.5, or a community college district. This paragraph shall not be construed to exclude any funding appropriated for the Child Care Development Services Act pursuant to Chapter (commencing with Section 8200) of Part 6.
- appropriation made the Teachers' (2) Any 30 Retirement Fund or to the Public Employees' Retirement Fund those appropriations except mandates reimbursable state imposed on or January 1, 1988.
 - (3) Any appropriation made to service any public debt approved by the voters of this state.
 - (g) "Allocated local proceeds of taxes," as used in paragraph (2) or (3) of subdivision (b) of Section 8 of Article XVI of the California Constitution, means, for school districts as defined, those local revenues, except revenues identified pursuant to paragraph

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subdivision (h) of Section 42238, that are used to offset state aid for school districts in calculations performed pursuant to Sections 2558, 42238, and Chapter 7.2 (commencing with Section 56836) of Part 30.

- (h) "Allocated local proceeds of taxes," as used in paragraph (2) or (3) of subdivision (b) of Section 8 of Article XVI of the California Constitution, means, for community college districts, those local revenues that are used to offset state aid for community college districts in 10 calculations performed pursuant to Section 84700. In no event shall the revenues or receipts derived from student 12 fees be considered "allocated local proceeds of taxes."
- (i) For the purposes of calculating the 4 percent 14 entitlement pursuant to subdivision (a) of Section 8.5 of Article XVI of the California Constitution, "the total 16 amount required pursuant to Section 8(b)" shall mean the General Fund aid required for schools pursuant to subdivision (b) of Section 8 of Article XVI of the California Constitution, and shall not include allocated local proceeds of taxes.
- SEC. 12. Section 41601 of the Education Code is 21 22 amended to read:
- 41601. For the purposes of this chapter, the governing 24 board of each school district shall report to the Superintendent of Public Instruction during each fiscal year the average daily attendance of the district for all full school months during (1) the period between July 1 and 28 December 31, inclusive, to be known as the "first period" report for the first principal apportionment, and (2) the period between July 1 and April 15, inclusive, to be known as the "second period" report for the second principal apportionment. Each county superintendent of schools shall report the average daily attendance for the schools and classes maintained by him or her and the average daily attendance for the county school tuition fund.
- 36 Each report shall be prepared in accordance with 37 instructions on forms prescribed and furnished by the of Public 38 Superintendent Instruction. Average daily attendance shall be computed in the following manner:

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(a) The daily attendance in the regular average elementary, middle, and high schools, including continuation schools and classes, opportunity schools and classes, and special day classes, maintained by the school districts shall be determined by dividing the total number of days of attendance allowed in all full school months in each period by the number of days the schools are actually taught in all full school months in each period, exclusive of Saturdays or Sundays and exclusive of weekend makeup classes pursuant to Section 37223. 10

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- (b) The attendance for schools and classes maintained by a county superintendent of schools and the county school tuition fund shall be reported in the same manner as reported by school districts. The average daily attendance in special education classes operated by county superintendents of schools shall be determined in manner all other attendance the same as subdivision (a). The average daily attendance in all other maintained schools and classes by the county superintendents of schools shall be determined dividing the total number of days of attendance in all full school months in the first period by a divisor of 70, in the second period by 135 and at annual time by 175. For attendance in special classes and centers pursuant to Section 56364 or Section 56364.5 56364.6, as applicable, the average daily attendance shall be reported by the county superintendents of schools, but credited for revenue limit purposes to the district in which the pupil resides.
- (c) The days of attendance in classes for adults and regional occupational centers programs shall be reported 30 in the same manner as all other attendance under subdivision (a). The average daily attendance in those schools and classes shall be determined by dividing the total number of days of attendance in all full school months in the first period by a divisor of 85 in the second period by 135 and at annual time by 175.
- SEC. 13. Section 41972 of the Education Code is 37 38 amended to read:
- 39 41972. Balances available from any appropriation for apportionments from Section A of the State School Fund

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and funds provided by subdivision (c) of Section 14002, or provided by any other provision of law in lieu of those sections, shall be used to restore any reductions in apportionments to elementary, high, and unified school 5 districts and county superintendents of schools as follows:

- (a) First, for revenue limits computed pursuant to 6 Sections 2558 and 42238.
- (b) Second, for special education computed pursuant 8 9 to Chapter 7.2 (commencing with Section 56836) of Part 10 30.
- 11 (c) Third, for home-to-school transportation 12 computed pursuant to Section 41856 or, commencing with the 1984–85 fiscal year, Article 10 (commencing with 14 Section 41850) of Chapter 8.

Any remaining balances otherwise transferable under 15 16 subdivisions (b) and (c) of Section 14002 shall revert to 17 the General Fund.

18 SEC. 14. Section 42129 of the Education Code is amended to read: 19

42129. School districts and county offices of education shall transmit to the State Department of Education, on 21 a timely basis, all budget reports, prior year expenditure reports, qualified and negative financial status reports, program cost accounting reports, certifications, and audit 25 reports as prescribed by subdivision (j) of Section 1240, 26 subdivision (g) of Section 35035, Sections 1621, 1623, 35014, 41020, 42127, and Chapter 7.2 (commencing with 28 Section 56836) of Part 30, and those reports used to calculate the first. second. and annual 30 apportionments and special purpose apportionments for 31 school districts and county offices of education. In the 32 event that the reports are not submitted to Superintendent of Public Instruction within 14 days after 34 the submission date prescribed in the statute or specified 35 bv the Superintendent of Public Instruction. 36 Superintendent of Public Instruction may direct county auditor to withhold payment of any stipend, 37 or salaries to the district superintendent, 38 expenses, 39 county superintendent, or members of the governing boards, as appropriate. The withholding shall continue **— 21 — AB 598**

only until the delinquent reports have been submitted to State Department of Education. If the superintendent performs the functions of the county auditor, the Superintendent of Public Instruction may 5 superintendent to direct the county withhold payments specified in this section.

SEC. 15. Section 46200.5 of the Education Code is amended to read:

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46200.5. (a) In the 1985–86 fiscal year, for each of education 10 county office that certifies Superintendent of Public Instruction that it offers 180 12 days or more of instruction per school year of special day 13 classes pursuant to Section 56364 or Section 56364.5 14 56364.6, as applicable, the Superintendent of Public 15 Instruction shall determine an amount equal to seventy dollars (\$70) per unit of current year second principal apportionment average daily attendance for special day 18 classes. This computation shall be included 19 computations made by the superintendent pursuant to 20 Chapter 7.2 (commencing with Section 56836) of Part 30.

(b) For any county office of education that received an 22 apportionment pursuant to subdivision (a), that offers 23 less than 180 days of instruction in the 1986-87 year or any 24 fiscal year thereafter, and that does not provide the minimum number of instructional minutes specified in subdivision (a) of Section 46201.5 for that fiscal year, the Superintendent of Public Instruction shall reduce the special education apportionment per unit of average daily attendance for that fiscal year by an amount attributable to the increase received pursuant subdivision (a), as adjusted in fiscal years subsequent to the 1985–86 fiscal year.

SEC. 16. Section 46201.5 of the Education Code is 34 amended to read:

46201.5. (a) In each of the 1985-86 and 1986-87 fiscal 36 years, for each county office of education that certifies to the Superintendent of Public Instruction that, for special day classes pursuant to Section 56364 or Section 56364.5 56364.6, as applicable, it offers at least the amount of instructional time specified in this subdivision,

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Superintendent of Public Instruction shall determine an amount equal to eighty dollars (\$80) in the 1985-86 fiscal year and forty dollars (\$40) in the 1986-87 fiscal year per unit of current year second principal apportionment 5 average daily attendance for special day classes in kindergarten and grades 1 to 8, inclusive, and one hundred sixty dollars (\$160) in the 1985 –86 fiscal year and eighty dollars (\$80) in the 1986-87 fiscal year per unit of current vear second principal apportionment average 10 daily attendance for special day classes in grades 9 to 12, 11 inclusive.

This computation shall be included in computations 13 made by the superintendent pursuant to Article (commencing with Section 56836.06) of Chapter 7.2 of 15 Part 30.

- (1) In the 1985–86 fiscal year:
- 17 (A) 34,500 minutes in kindergarten.
- 18 (B) 47,016 minutes in grades 1 to 3, inclusive.
- 19 (C) 50,000 minutes in grades 4 to 8, inclusive.
- 20 (D) 57,200 minutes in grades 9 to 12, inclusive.
- (2) In the 1986–87 fiscal year: 21

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- (A) 36,000 minutes in kindergarten.
- 23 (B) 50,400 minutes in grades 1 to 3, inclusive.
- 24 (C) 54,000 minutes in grades 4 to 8, inclusive.
- (D) 64,800 minutes in grades 9 to 12, inclusive. 25
 - (b) Each county office of education that receives an apportionment pursuant to subdivision (a) in a fiscal year shall, in the subsequent fiscal year, add the amount received per pupil to the county office's base special education apportionment.
- (c) For each county office of education that receives 32 apportionment pursuant to subdivision (a) in the 1985–86 fiscal year, and that reduces the amount of instructional time offered below the minimum amounts 34 35 specified in paragraph (1) of subdivision (a) in 36 1986–87 fiscal year, or any fiscal year thereafter, the 37 Superintendent of Public Instruction shall reduce 38 special education apportionment for the fiscal year in which the reduction occurs by an amount attributable to 40 the increase in the 1986–87 fiscal year special education

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apportionment pursuant to subdivision (b), as adjusted in the 1986–87 fiscal year and fiscal years thereafter.

For each county office of education that receives an apportionment pursuant to subdivision (a) in the 1986-87 fiscal year, and that reduces the amount of instructional 5 time offered below the minimum amounts specified in paragraph (2) of subdivision (a) in the 1987–88 fiscal year, or any fiscal year thereafter, the superintendent shall 8 reduce the special education apportionment for the fiscal year in which the reduction occurs by an amount 10 attributable to the increase in the 1987–88 fiscal year special education apportionment pursuant to subdivision 12 13 (b), as adjusted in the 1987–88 fiscal year and fiscal years 14 thereafter.

SEC. 17. Section 54732 of the Education Code is 16 amended to read:

54732. If a school district and school choose to include 18 with programs operated pursuant to this article funds allocated pursuant to Chapter 7.2 (commencing with Section 56836) of Part 30, the school district shall comply with the procedural safeguards afforded individuals with exceptional needs. continue to meet the requirements provided for in the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 et seq.).

SEC. 18. Section 56027 of the Education Code is 25 26 amended to read:

56027. "Local plan" means a plan that meets the 28 requirements of Chapter 3 (commencing with Section 56200) or Article 1.1 (commencing with Section 56205) of 30 Chapter 3 and that is submitted by a special education local plan area.

SEC. 19. Section 56044 is added to the Education 32 33 Code, to read:

56044. The department shall include in its budget sufficient funds to make apportionments under this part and an amount sufficient for the administration by the department of the provisions of this part.

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SEC. 20. Section 56046 is added to the Education 38 39 Code, to read:

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56046. The department shall continuously monitor and review all special education programs approved under this part to assure that all funds appropriated to special education local plan areas under this part are expended for the purposes intended.

6 SEC. 21. Section 56047 is added to the Education 7 Code, to read:

56047. Funds apportioned to special education local plan areas pursuant to this part shall be expended exclusively for programs operated under this part.

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12 SEC. 19. Section 56048 is added to the Education 13 Code, to read:

14 56048. The superintendent shall review the and calculations 15 information submitted bv special 16 education local plan areas in support of all apportionment 17 computations described in this part. The review shall be 18 conducted on the data submitted during the initial year 19 of apportionment and for the first succeeding fiscal year 20 only. Adjustments to any year's apportionment shall be superintendent 21 received bv the from 22 education local plan area prior to the end of the first fiscal 23 year following the fiscal year to be adjusted. 24 superintendent shall consider and adjust only the factors 25 information and computational originally year, established during an eligible fiscal if the superintendent's review determines that they are 28 correct.

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30 SEC. 20. Section 56131 of the Education Code is 31 amended to read:

56131. The superintendent shall apportion funds in accordance with Chapter 7.2 (commencing with Section 56836) and approved local plans.

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36 SEC. 21. Section 56132 of the Education Code is 37 amended to read:

38 56132. The superintendent shall assist districts, 39 county offices, and special education local plan areas in 40 the improvement and evaluation of their programs.

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2 SEC. 22. Section 56136 of the Education Code is 3 amended to read:

56136. The superintendent shall develop guidelines for each low incidence disability area and provide technical assistance to parents, teachers, administrators regarding the implementation guidelines. The guidelines shall clarify the identification, assessment, planning of, and the provision of, specialized 10 services to pupils with low incidence disabilities. The superintendent shall consider the guidelines 12 monitoring programs serving pupils with low incidence 13 disabilities pursuant to subdivision (a) of Section 14 56836.04. The adopted guidelines shall be promulgated 15 for the purpose of establishing recommended guidelines shall not operate to impose minimum and requirements.

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SEC. 23. Section 56155.5 of the Education Code is amended to read:

56155.5. (a) As this article. used in "licensed 22 children's institution" means a residential facility that is 23 licensed by the state, or other public agency having delegated authority by contract with the state to license, 25 to provide nonmedical care to children, including, but to, individuals with exceptional needs. 26 not limited "Licensed children's institution" includes a group home 28 as defined by subdivision (a) of Section 80001 of Title 22 of the California Code of Regulations. As used in this article and Article 3 (commencing with Section 56836.16) of Chapter 7.2), a "licensed children's institution" does not include any of the following:

- (1) A juvenile court school, juvenile hall, juvenile 34 home, day center, juvenile ranch, or juvenile camp administered pursuant to Article 2 (commencing with 36 Section 48645) of Chapter 4 of Part 27.
- 37 (2) A county community school program provided 38 pursuant to Section 1981.
- 39 (3) Any special education programs provided 40 pursuant to Section 56150.

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- (4) Any other public agency.
- (b) As used in this article, "foster family home" means a family residence that is licensed by the state, or other public agency having delegated authority by contract with the state to license, to provide 24-hour nonmedical 6 care and supervision for not more than six foster children, including, but not limited to, individuals with exceptional needs. "Foster family home" includes a small family home as defined in paragraph (6) of subdivision (a) of Section 1502 of the Health and Safety Code. 10

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- SEC. 24. Section 56156.4 is added to the Education Code, to read:
- 56156.4. (a) Each special education local plan area shall be responsible for providing appropriate education to individuals with exceptional needs residing in licensed children's institutions and foster family homes located in the geographical area covered by the local plan.
- (b) In multidistrict and district and county office local plan areas, local written agreements shall be developed, pursuant to subdivision (f) of Section 56195.7, to identify the public education entities that will provide the special education services.
- (c) If there is no local agreement, special education 25 services for individuals with exceptional needs residing in 26 licensed children's institutions shall be the responsibility of the county office in the county in which the institution 28 is located, if the county office is part of the special education local plan area, and special education services 30 for individuals with exceptional needs residing in foster 31 family homes shall be the responsibility of the district in 32 which the foster family home is located. If a county office is not a part of the special education local plan area, education services individuals 34 special for 35 exceptional needs residing inlicensed children's 36 institutions, pursuant to this subdivision, shall be the responsibility of the responsible local agency or other 37 38 administrative entity of the special education local plan area. This program responsibility shall continue until the

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time local written agreements are developed pursuant to subdivision (f) of Section 56195.7.

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- (d) This section shall apply to special education local plan areas that are submitting a revised local plan for approval pursuant to Section 56836.03 or that have an approved revised local plan pursuant to Section 56836.03.
- SEC. 25. Section 56156.5 of the Education Code is 8 amended to read:
 - district, 56156.5. (a) Each special education plan area. or county office shall be responsible for providing appropriate education to individuals with licensed exceptional needs residing in children's institutions and foster family homes located in the geographical area covered by the local plan.
- (b) In multidistrict and district and county office local 16 plan areas, local written agreements shall be developed, pursuant to subdivision (f) of Section 56195.7, to identify the public education entities that will provide the special education services.
- (c) If there is no local agreement, special education 21 services for individuals with exceptional needs residing in licensed children's institutions shall be the responsibility of the county office in the county in which the institution 24 is located, if the county office is part of the special education local plan area, and special education services 26 for individuals with exceptional needs residing in foster family homes shall be the responsibility of the district in which the foster family home is located. If a county office 29 is not a part of the special education local plan area, education individuals special services for exceptional needs residing in licensed institutions, pursuant to this subdivision, shall be the 32 responsibility of the responsible local agency or other administrative entity of the special education local plan area. This program responsibility shall continue until the time local written agreements are developed pursuant to subdivision (f) of Section 56195.7.
 - (d) This section shall not apply to any education local plan area that has a revised local plan approved pursuant to Section 56836.03. This section shall

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apply to special education local plan areas that have not 2 had a revised local plan approved pursuant to that 3 section.

(e) This section shall become inoperative on July 1, 2003, and, as of January 1, 2004, is repealed, unless a later enacted statute, that becomes operative on or before January 1, 2004, deletes or extends the date on which it becomes inoperative and is repealed.

SEC. 28. Section 56156.5 is added to the Education Code, to read:

56156.5. (a) Each special education local plan area shall be responsible for providing appropriate education to individuals with exceptional needs residing in licensed children's institutions and foster family homes located in the geographical area covered by the local plan.

- (b) In multidistrict and district and county office local plan areas, local written agreements shall be developed, pursuant to subdivision (f) of Section 56195.7, to identify the public education entities that will provide the special education services.
- (c) If there is no local agreement, special education services for individuals with exceptional needs residing in licensed children's institutions shall be the responsibility of the county office in the county in which the institution 25 is located, if the county office is part of the special education local plan area, and special education services for individuals with exceptional needs residing in foster family homes shall be the responsibility of the district in which the foster family home is located. If a county office 30 is not a part of the special education local plan area, special education services for individuals with exceptional needs residing in licensed children's institutions, pursuant to this subdivision, shall be the responsibility of the responsible local agency or other administrative entity of the special education local plan area. This program responsibility shall continue until the time local written agreements are developed pursuant to subdivision (f) of Section 56195.7.
 - (d) This section shall apply to special education local plan areas that are submitting a revised local plan for

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approval pursuant to Section 56836.03 or that have an approved revised local plan pursuant to Section 56836.03.

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- 4 SEC. 26. Section 56156.6 of the Education Code is 5 amended to read:
- 56156.6. If the district in which the licensed children's institution or foster family home is located is also the district of residence of the parent of the individual with exceptional needs, and if the parent retains legal responsibility for the child's education, Section Sections 156836.16 and 56836.17 shall not apply.
- 12 SEC. 30.
- 13 SEC. 27. Section 56160 of the Education Code is 14 repealed.
- 15 SEC. 31.
- 16 SEC. 28. Section 56161 of the Education Code is 17 repealed.
- 18 SEC. 32.
- 19 SEC. 29. Section 56169 of the Education Code is 20 repealed.
- 21 SEC. 33.
- 22 SEC. 30. Section 56200 of the Education Code is 23 amended to read:
- 24 56200. Each local plan submitted to the 25 superintendent under this part shall contain all the 26 following:
- 27 (a) Compliance assurances, including general 28 compliance with the Individuals with Disabilities 29 Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 et seq.), Section 504 of 30 the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (29 U.S.C. Sec. 794), and 31 this part.
- 32 (b) A description of services to be provided by each 33 district and county office. This description shall 34 demonstrate that all individuals with exceptional needs 35 shall have access to services and instruction appropriate 36 to meet their needs as specified in their individualized 37 education programs.
- 38 (c) (1) A description of the governance and 39 administration of the plan, including the role of county 40 office and district governing board members.

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(2) Multidistrict plans, submitted pursuant subdivision (b) or (c) of Section 56195.1, shall specify the responsibilities of each participating county office and district governing board in the policymaking process, the responsibilities of the superintendents participating district and county in the implementation of the plan, and the responsibilities of district and county administrators of special education in coordinating the administration of the local plan.

- (d) Copies of joint powers agreements or contractual agreements, as appropriate, for districts and counties that elect to enter into those agreements pursuant subdivision (b) or (c) of Section 56170.
- (e) An annual budget plan to allocate instructional support service units. 15 personnel services. 16 transportation services directly entities to operating those services and to allocate regionalized services funds 18 to the county office, responsible local agency, or other alternative administrative structure. The annual budget plan shall be adopted at a public hearing held by the district, special education local plan area, or county office, as appropriate. Notice of this hearing shall be posted in each school in the local plan area at least 15 days prior to the hearing. The annual budget plan may be revised during the fiscal year, and these revisions may be submitted to the superintendent as amendments to the allocations set forth in the plan. However, the revisions shall, prior to submission to the superintendent, be approved according to the policymaking 30 established pursuant to paragraph (2) of subdivision (c).
- (f) Verification that the plan has been reviewed by the 32 community advisory committee and that the committee had at least 30 days to conduct this review prior to submission of the plan to the superintendent.
- 35 (g) A description of the identification. referral. 36 assessment, instructional planning, implementation, review in compliance with Chapter 4 (commencing with 37 38 Section 56300).
- (h) A description of the process being utilized to meet 39 40 the requirements of Section 56303.

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(i) A description of the process being utilized to meet the requirements of the California Early Intervention Services Act, Title 14 (commencing with Section 95000) of the Government Code.

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- SEC. 31. Section 56205 of the Education Code is amended to read:
- 8 56205. Each special education local plan area shall 9 submit a local plan to the superintendent under this part. The local plan shall contain all the following: 10
- (a) Compliance assurances, including general Disabilities 12 compliance the Individuals with with 13 Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 et seq.), Section 504 of 14 the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (29 U.S.C. Sec. 794), the 15 Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (42 U.S.C. Sec. 12101 et seq.), federal regulations relating thereto, and 16 17 this part.
 - (b) (1) A description of the governance administration of the plan, including identification of the governing body of a multidistrict plan or the individual responsible for administration in a single district plan, and a description of the elected officials to whom the governing body or individual is responsible.
- (2) A description of the regionalized operations and 25 services listed in Section 56836.23 and the direct instructional support provided by program specialists in accordance with Section 56368 to be provided through the plan.
 - (3) Multidistrict plans. submitted pursuant subdivision (b) or (c) of Section 56195.1, shall specify the responsibilities of each participating county office and district governing board in the policymaking process, the responsibilities the superintendents of of each participating district and county in the implementation of the plan, and the responsibilities of district and county administrators of special education in coordinating the administration of the local plan.
- 38 (4) Multidistrict submitted plans, pursuant to subdivision (b) or (c) of Section 56195.1, shall identify the respective roles of the administrative unit and

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administrator of the special education local plan area and the individual local education agencies within the special education local plan area in relation to the following:

- (A) The hiring, supervision, evaluation, and discipline of the administrator of the special education local plan area and staff employed by the administrative unit in support of the local plan.
- (B) The allocation from the state of federal and state funds to the special education local plan area or to local education agencies within the special education local plan area.
 - (C) The operation of special education programs.
- (D) Monitoring the appropriate use of federal, state, and local funds allocated for special education programs.
- (E) The preparation of program and fiscal reports 16 required of the special education local plan area by the state.
 - of (5) The description the governance administration of the plan, and the policymaking process, shall be consistent with subdivision (f) of Section 56001, subdivision (a) of Section 56195.3, and Section 56195.9 and shall reflect a schedule of regular consultations regarding policy and budget development with representatives of special and regular teachers and administrators selected by the groups they represent and parent members of the community advisory committee established pursuant to Article 7 (commencing with Section 56190) of Chapter 2.
 - (c) A description of the method by which members of the public, including parents or guardians of individuals with exceptional needs who are receiving services under the plan, may address questions or concerns to the governing body or individual identified in paragraph (1) of subdivision (b).
- 34 (d) A description of an alternative resolution process, 35 including mediation and final and binding arbitration to 36 resolve disputes over the distribution of funding, the responsibility for service provision, and other activities 37 specified within the plan. Any arbitration 38 conducted by the department.

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(e) Copies of joint powers agreements or contractual agreements, as appropriate, for districts and counties that elect to enter into those agreements pursuant subdivision (b) or (c) of Section 56195.1.

- (f) An annual budget allocation plan that shall be adopted at a public hearing held by the special education local plan area. Notice of this hearing shall be posted in each school in the local plan area at least 15 days prior to the hearing. The annual budget allocation plan may be revised during any fiscal year, and these revisions may be submitted to the superintendent as amendments to the allocations set forth in the local plan. However, the revisions shall, prior to submission to the superintendent, approved according to the policymaking process established pursuant to paragraph (3) of subdivision (b) and consistent with subdivision (f) of Section 56001 and Section 56195.9. The annual budget plan shall separately identify the allocations for all of the following:
- Funds received in accordance with Chapter 7.2 (commencing with Section 56836).
 - (2) Administrative costs of the plan.

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- (3) Special education services to pupils with severe disabilities and low incidence disabilities.
- (4) Special education services to pupils with nonsevere disabilities.
- services (5) Supplemental aids and to meet the individual needs of pupils placed in regular education classrooms and environments.
- (6) Regionalized operations and services, and direct instructional support by program specialists accordance with Article 6 (commencing with Section 56836.23) of Chapter 7.2.
- (7) The use of property taxes allocated to the special 34 education local plan area pursuant to Section 2572.
- (g) An annual service plan shall be adopted at a public 36 hearing held by the special education local plan area. Notice of this hearing shall be posted in each school in the special education local plan area at least 15 days prior to the hearing. The annual service plan may be revised during any fiscal year, and these revisions may

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submitted to the superintendent as amendments to the plan. However, the revisions shall, prior to submission to 3 superintendent, be approved according policymaking process established pursuant to paragraph 5 (3) of subdivision (b) and consistent with subdivision (f) of Section 56001 and Section 56195.9. The annual service plan shall include a description of services to be provided by each district and county office, including the nature of the services and the location at which the services will be 10 provided, including alternative schools, charter schools, opportunity schools and classes, community day schools 12 operated by school districts, community schools operated 13 by county offices of education, and juvenile court schools 14 regardless of whether the district or county office of 15 education is participating in the local plan. 16 description shall demonstrate that all individuals with exceptional needs shall have access to services 17 18 instruction appropriate to meet their needs as specified in their individualized education programs. 20

- (h) Verification that the plan has been reviewed by advisory committee and community committee had at least 30 days to conduct this review prior to submission of the plan to the superintendent.
- description of the identification, referral. assessment, instructional planning, implementation, review in compliance with Chapter 4 (commencing with 26 Section 56300).
- 28 (j) A description of the process being utilized to meet 29 the requirements of Section 56303.
 - (k) A description of the process being utilized to meet the requirements of the California Early Intervention Services Act, Title 14 (commencing with Section 95000) of the Government Code.
- 34 (1) The local plan, budget allocation plan, and annual 35 service plan shall be written in language that is understandable to the general public. 36
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38 SEC. 32. Section 56207 of the Education Code is amended to read:

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1 56207. (a) No educational programs and services already in operation in school districts or a county office of education pursuant to Part 30 (commencing with Section 56000) shall be transferred to another school district or a county office of education or from a county office of education to a school district unless the special education local plan area has developed a plan for the transfer which addresses, at a minimum, all of the 9 following:

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- (2) The availability of the full continuum of services to affected pupils.
- (3) The functional continuation of the current 14 individualized education programs of all affected pupils.
- (4) The provision of services in the least restrictive 16 environment from which affected pupils can benefit.
- (5) The maintenance of all appropriate support 18 services.
 - (6) The assurance that there will be compliance with all federal and state laws and regulations and special education local plan area policies.
- (7) The means through which parents and staff were 23 represented in the planning process.
- (b) The date on which the transfer will take effect may 25 be no earlier than the first day of the second fiscal year beginning after the date on which the sending or receiving agency has informed the other agency and the governing body or individual identified in paragraph (1) 29 of subdivision (b) of Section 56205, unless the governing 30 body individual identified in paragraph (1) subdivision (b) of Section 56205 unanimously approves the transfer taking effect on the first day of the first fiscal year following that date.
- (c) If either the sending or receiving agency disagree 35 with the proposed transfer, the matter shall be resolved 36 by the alternative resolution process established pursuant to subdivision (d) of Section 56205. 37
- 38 (d) Notwithstanding Section 56208, this section shall all special education local plan areas commencing on July 1, 1998, whether or not a special

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education local plan area has submitted a revised local plan for approval or has an approved revised local plan pursuant to Section 56836.03.

- SEC. 33. Section 56361 of the Education Code is 5 amended to read:
- continuum of program 56361. The options 6 include, but not necessarily be limited to, all of the following or any combination of the following:
- 9 (a) Regular education programs consistent 10 subparagraph (B) of paragraph (5) of Section 1412 and clause (iv) of subparagraph (C) of paragraph (1) of subsection (a) of Section 1414 of Title 20 of the United 12 13 States Code and implementing regulations.
- 14 (b) A resource specialist program pursuant to Section 15 56362.
 - (c) Designated instruction and services pursuant to Section 56363.
 - (d) Special classes and centers pursuant to Section 56364 or Section 56364.5 56364.6, as applicable.
- 20 (e) Nonpublic, nonsectarian school services pursuant 21 to Section 56365.
 - (f) State special schools pursuant to Section 56367.
- (g) Instruction in settings other than classrooms 24 where specially designed instruction may occur.
 - instruction (h) Itinerant in classrooms, resource rooms, and settings other than classrooms where specially designed instruction may occur to the extent required by federal law or regulation.
- telecommunication. (i) Instruction using 30 instruction in the home, in hospitals, and in other institutions to the extent required by federal law or 32 regulation.
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- 34 SEC. 34. Section 56364.1 of the Education Code is 35 amended to read:
- 56364.1. Notwithstanding the provisions of Section 36 37 56364 or Section -56364.5 56364.6, as applicable, pupils with low incidence disabilities may receive all or a portion
- of their instruction in the regular classroom and may also
- 40 be enrolled in special classes taught by appropriately

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credentialed teachers who serve these pupils at one or more school sites. The instruction shall be provided in a manner which is consistent with the guidelines adopted pursuant to Section 56136 and in accordance with the 5 individualized education program.

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SEC. 35. Section 56364.5 of the Education Code, as added by Chapter 854 of the Statutes of 1997, is amended 9 and renumbered to read:

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- 56364.6. (a) Special classes and centers that enroll pupils with similar and more intensive educational needs shall be available. The classes and centers shall enroll 14 pupils when the nature or severity of the disability participation in the regular 15 precludes their 16 program for all or significant portions of a schoolday. 17 Special classes and centers and other removal of 18 individuals with exceptional needs from the regular 19 education environment shall occur only when education 20 in regular classes with the use of supplementary aids and 21 services cannot be achieved satisfactorily due to the 22 nature or severity of the exceptional needs.
- (b) In providing or arranging for the provision of 24 activities, each public agency shall ensure that each 25 individual with exceptional needs participates in those activities with nondisabled pupils to the maximum extent the needs of the appropriate to individual exceptional needs, including nonacademic and extracurricular services and activities. Special classes and 30 centers shall meet standards adopted by the board.
- 31 (c) This section shall only apply to special education local plan areas that have had a revised local plan 32 33 approved pursuant to Section 56836.03.
 - SEC. 36. Section 56365 of the Education Code is amended to read:
- 36 56365. (a) Nonpublic, nonsectarian school services, 37 including services by nonpublic, nonsectarian agencies shall be available. These services shall be provided 38 pursuant to Section 56366 under contract with the 40 district, special education local plan area, or county office

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to provide the appropriate special educational facilities, special education, or designated instruction and services required by the individual with exceptional needs when no appropriate public education program is available.

- (b) Pupils enrolled in nonpublic, nonsectarian schools and agencies under this section shall be deemed to be enrolled in public schools for all purposes of Chapter 4 (commencing with Section 41600) of Part 24 and Section 42238. The district, special education local plan area, or 10 county office shall be eligible to receive allowances under 7.2 (commencing with Section 56836) services that are provided to individuals with exceptional needs pursuant to the contract.
- (c) If the state participates in the federal program of 15 assistance for state-operated or state-supported programs 16 for children with disabilities (P.L. 89-313, Sec. 6), pupils 17 enrolled in nonpublic, nonsectarian schools shall be deemed to be enrolled in state-supported institutions for all purposes of that program and shall be eligible to 20 receive allowances under Chapter 7.2 (commencing with Section 56836) for supplemental services provided to 22 individuals with exceptional needs pursuant to a contract with a district, special education local plan area, or county office of education. In order to participate in the federal program, the state must find that participation will not 26 result in any additional expenditures from the General 27 Fund.
 - (d) The district, special education local plan area, or county office shall pay to the nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency the full amount of the tuition for individuals with exceptional needs that are enrolled in programs provided by the nonpublic, nonsectarian school pursuant to the contract.
- 34 (e) Before contracting with a nonpublic, nonsectarian 35 school or agency outside of this state, the district, special 36 education local plan area, or county office shall document its efforts to utilize public schools or to locate an 37 appropriate nonpublic, nonsectarian school or 38 program, or both, within the state.

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(f) If a district, special education local plan area, or places county office a pupil with a nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency outside of this state, the pupil's education individualized program team shall submit a report to the superintendent within 15 days of placement decision. The report shall include information about the special education related services provided by the out-of-state program placement and the costs of the special education and related services provided, and shall indicate the efforts of the local educational agency to locate an appropriate public school nonpublic, nonsectarian school or 12 agency, combination thereof, within the state. The 14 superintendent shall submit a report to the State Board of Education on all placements made outside of this state.

- (g) If a school district, special education local plan area, or county office of education decides to place a pupil 18 with a nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency outside of this state, that local education agency shall indicate the anticipated date for the return of the pupil to a public or nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency placement, or a combination thereof, located in the state and shall document efforts during the previous placement year to return the pupil.
 - (h) In addition to meeting the requirements of Section 56366.1, a nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency that operates a program outside of this state shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide, respectively, special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 et seq.).
 - (i) A nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency that is located outside of this state is eligible for certification pursuant to Section 56366.1 only if a pupil is enrolled in a program operated by that school or agency pursuant to recommendation of an individualized education program team in California, and if that pupil's parents or guardians reside in California.

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SEC. 37. Section 56365.5 of the Education Code is 1 2 repealed.

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SEC. 38. Section 56366 of the Education Code is 4 5 amended to read:

56366. It is the intent of the Legislature that the role of the nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency shall be maintained and continued as an alternative special education service available to districts, special education 10 local plan areas, county offices, and parents.

- (a) The master contract for nonpublic, nonsectarian 12 school shall be developed or agency services accordance with the following provisions:
- (1) The master contract shall specify the general 15 administrative and financial agreements between nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency and the district, 16 special education local plan area, or county office to provide the special education and designated instruction and services, as well as transportation specified in the pupil's individualized education program. 21 administrative of the contract provisions also shall 22 include procedures for recordkeeping documentation, and the maintenance of school records 24 by the contracting district, special education local plan 25 area, or county office to ensure that appropriate high school graduation credit is received by the pupil. The contract may allow for partial or full-time attendance at the nonpublic, nonsectarian school.
- (2) The master contract shall include an individual 30 services agreement for each pupil placed by a district, special education local plan area, or county office that will be negotiated for the length of time for which nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency special education and 34 designated instruction and services are specified in the pupil's individualized education program.

educational 36 Changes in instruction, services, placement provided under contract may only be made on 37 the basis of revisions to the pupil's individualized 38 education program.

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time during the term of the contract or 2 individual services agreement, the parent; nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency; or district, special education local plan area, or county office may request a review of the pupil's individualized education program by the individualized education program team. Changes the administrative or financial agreements of the master contract that do not alter the individual services agreement that outlines each pupil's educational 10 instruction, services, or placement may be made at any time during the term of the contract as mutually agreed by the nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency and the 12 13 district, special education local plan area, or county office.

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- (3) The master contract or individual services agreement may be terminated for cause. The cause shall not be the availability of a public class initiated during the period of the contract unless the parent agrees to the 18 transfer of the pupil to a public school program. To terminate the contract either party shall give 20 days' notice.
 - (4) The nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency shall all services specified in the individualized education program, unless the nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency and the district, special education local plan area, or county office agree otherwise in the contract or individualized services agreement.
 - (5) Related services provided pursuant to a nonpublic, only master contract shall nonsectarian agency provided during the period of the child's regular or extended school year program, or both, unless otherwise specified by the pupil's individualized education program.
- (6) The nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency shall 34 report attendance of pupils receiving special education and designated instruction and services as defined by Section 46307 for purposes of submitting a warrant for tuition to each contracting district, special education local plan area, or county office.
- 39 (b) The master contract or individual services 40 agreement shall not include special education

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transportation provided through the use of services or equipment owned, leased, or contracted by a district, special education local plan area, or county office for pupils enrolled in the nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency unless provided directly or subcontracted by that nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency.

The superintendent shall withhold 20 percent of the amount apportioned to a school district or county office the provision of related to nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency placements if superintendent finds that the local education agency is in noncompliance with this subdivision. This amount shall be withheld from the apportionments in the fiscal year 14 following the superintendent's finding of noncompliance. The superintendent shall take other appropriate actions 16 to prevent noncompliant practices from occurring and report to the Legislature on those actions.

- (c) (1) If the pupil is enrolled in the nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency with the approval of the district, special education local plan area, or county office prior to agreement to a contract or individual services agreement, the district, special education local plan area, or county office shall issue a warrant, upon submission of an attendance report and claim, for an amount equal to the number of creditable days of attendance at the per diem tuition rate agreed upon prior to the enrollment of the pupil. This provision shall be allowed for 90 days during which time the contract shall be consummated.
- (2) If after 60 days the master contract or individual services agreement has not been finalized as prescribed in paragraph (1) of subdivision (a), either party may appeal to the county superintendent of schools, if the county superintendent is not participating in the local plan involved in the nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency contract, or the superintendent, if the county superintendent is participating in the local plan involved in the contract, to negotiate the contract. Within 30 days of receipt of this appeal, the county superintendent or the superintendent, or his or her designee, shall mediate the

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formulation of a contract which shall be binding upon both parties.

- (d) No master contract for special education and related services provided by a nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency shall be authorized under this part unless the school or agency has been certified as meeting those standards relating to the required special education and specified related services and facilities for individuals with exceptional needs. The certification shall result in the school's or agency's receiving approval to educate pupils under this part for a period no longer than four years from the date of the approval.
- (e) By September 30, 1998, the procedures, methods, 14 and regulations for the purposes of contracting for nonsectarian school and agency nonpublic, services 16 pursuant to this section and for reimbursement pursuant to Sections 56836.16 and 56836.20 shall be developed by superintendent in consultation with organizations representing providers of special education and designated instruction and services. The regulations shall be established by rules and regulations issued by the board.

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SEC. 39. Section 56366.3 of the Education Code is amended to read:

56366.3. (a) No contract for special education and related services provided by a nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency shall be reimbursed by the state pursuant to Article 4 (commencing with 30 56836.20) of Chapter 7.2 and Section 56836.16 if the 31 contract covers special education and related services, administration, or supervision by an individual who was an employee of a contracting district, special education local plan area, or county office within the last 365 days, unless the contract contains an addendum establishing 36 that the individual was involuntarily terminated or laid off as part of necessary staff reductions from the district, special education local plan area, or county office.

39 (b) This section does not apply to any person who is provide designated instruction and services 40

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- during the extended school year because he or she is
- otherwise employed for up to 10 months of the school year
- by the district, special education local plan area, or county 4 office.
- 5 SEC. 41.
- SEC. 40. Section 56441.10 of the Education Code is 6 repealed.
- 8 SEC. 42.
- 9 SEC. 41. Section 56446 of the Education Code is 10 amended to read:
- 56446. Public special education funding shall not be 12 used to purchase regular preschool services purchase any instructional service other than special education and services permitted by this chapter.
- 15 SEC. 43.
- SEC. 42. Section 56447 of the Education Code is 16 17 repealed.
- SEC. 44. 18
- SEC. 43. Section 56832 of the Education Code is 19 20 amended to read:
- 21 56832. (a) This chapter shall become inoperative on July 1, 1998, and, as of January 1, 1999, is repealed, unless 23 a later enacted statute, that becomes operative on or 24 before January 1, 1999, deletes or extends the dates on which it becomes inoperative and is repealed.
- (b) Notwithstanding subdivision (a), this chapter, as it 26 27 existed on December 31, 1998, shall apply until June 30, 28 1999, for the purpose of submitting corrections to amounts funded under this chapter, and until June 30, 2000, for the purpose of certifications of amounts funded 31 under this chapter.
 - SEC. 45.

- 33 SEC. 44. Section 56835.04 of the Education Code is 34 amended to read:
- 35 56835.04. (a) The data certified by the State 36 Department of Education to the Controller for the
- 37 1995–96 fiscal year with respect to apportionments
- 38 computed under Chapter 7 (commencing with Section
- 39 56700), excluding data for services to individuals with
- 40 exceptional needs younger than three years of age, shall

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be used for the purposes of making computations based upon the 1995–96 fiscal year pursuant to this chapter.

- 3 (b) For purposes of this chapter, information reported "for the 1995-96 annual apportionment" means the data 5 meeting the requirements of subdivision (a), as certified 6 in March 1997.
- SEC. 45. Section 56836.03 of the Education Code is 8 amended to read:

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- 56836.03. (a) On or after January 1, 1998, each special 10 education local plan area shall submit a revised local plan. Each special education local plan area shall submit its revised local plan not later than the time it is required to submit its local plan pursuant to subdivision (b) of Section 14 56100 and the revised local plan shall meet the 15 requirements of Chapter 3 (commencing with Section 16 56200).
- (b) Until the superintendent has approved the revised 18 local plan and the special education local plan area begins to operate under the revised local plan, each special education local plan area shall continue to operate under programmatic, reporting, and requirements prescribed by the State Department Education for the purposes of Chapter 7 (commencing with Section 56700) as that chapter existed on December develop transition 25 31, 1998. The department shall guidelines, and, as necessary, transition forms, to facilitate a transition from the reporting and accounting methods required for Chapter 7 (commencing with Section 56700) as that chapter existed on December 31, 1998, and related provisions of this part, to the reporting and accounting required for this chapter. Under circumstances shall the transition guidelines exceed the requirements of the provisions described in paragraphs 34 and (2). The transition guidelines shall, minimum, do the following:
- 36 (1) Describe the method for accounting for 37 instructional service personnel units and caseloads, required by Chapter 7 (commencing with Section 56700) as that chapter existed on December 31, 1998.

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(2) Describe the accounting that is required to be made, if any, for the purposes of Sections 56030, 56140, 56156.4, 56156.5, 56361.5, 56362, 56363.3, -56365.5, as that section existed on December 31, 1998, 56366.2, 56366.3, 5 56370, 56441.5, 56441.7, and 56447, as that section existed on December 31, 1998. 56441.5, and 56441.7. 6

- (c) Commencing with the 1997–98 fiscal year, through and including the fiscal year in which equalization among special education local plan areas has been achieved, the 10 board shall not approve any proposal to divide a special education local plan area into two or more units, unless the division has no net impact on state costs for special education; provided, however, that the board approve a proposal that was initially submitted to the department prior to January 1, 1997.
 - SEC. 46. Section 56836.08 of the Education Code is amended to read:
- 1998–99 56836.08. (a) For the fiscal 19 superintendent shall make the following computations to the amount of funding for each education local plan area:
- (1) Add the amount of funding per unit of average 23 daily attendance computed for the special education local plan area pursuant to paragraph (1) of subdivision (a) of Section 56836.10 to the inflation adjustment computed pursuant to subdivision (d) for the 1998–99 fiscal year.
 - (2) Multiply the amount computed in paragraph (1) by the units of average daily attendance reported for the special education local plan area for the 1997-98 fiscal year.
- the actual amount of equalization the adjustment, if any, computed for the 1998-99 fiscal year 32 pursuant to Section 56836.14 to the amount computed in paragraph (2).
- (4) Add or subtract, as appropriate, the adjustment for 36 growth computed pursuant to Section 56836.15 from the amount computed in paragraph (3).
- 38 (5) Add the special disabilities adjustment computed pursuant to Article 2.5 (commencing with 56836.155). The special disabilities adjustment received in

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the 1998–99 fiscal year shall not be included in the calculations made pursuant to paragraph subdivision (b) of Section 56836.10 for the 1999-2000 fiscal year.

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- (b) For the 1999-2000 fiscal year and each fiscal year thereafter, the superintendent shall make the following computations to determine the amount of funding for each special education local plan area for the fiscal year in which the computation is made:
- (1) Add the amount of funding per unit of average daily attendance computed for the special education local plan area for the prior fiscal year pursuant to Section 56836.10 to the inflation adjustment computed pursuant 14 to subdivision (d) for the fiscal year in which the computation is made.
 - (2) Multiply the amount computed in paragraph (1) by the units of average daily attendance reported for the special education local plan area for the prior fiscal year.
- actual (3) Add the amount of the 20 adjustment, if any, computed for the special education local plan area for the fiscal year in which the computation is made pursuant to Section 56836.14 to the amount computed in paragraph (2).
 - (4) Add or subtract, as appropriate, the adjustment for growth or decline in enrollment, if any, computed for the special education local plan area for the fiscal year in which the computation is made pursuant to Section 56836.15 from the amount computed in paragraph (3).
- (5) Add the special disabilities adjustment computed pursuant to (commencing with Article 2.5 56836.155) and increased pursuant to subparagraph (D) 32 if the adjusted funding per unit of average daily attendance of the special education local plan area is below the statewide target amount per unit of average daily attendance as determined pursuant subparagraphs (A) to (C), inclusive, as follows:
- (A) Calculate the adjusted amount of funding per unit 37 of average daily attendance for each special education 38 local plan area, measured in dollars and cents, using the methodology contained in subdivision (a) of Section

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56836.10, except that the amount used from computation in Section 56836.09 shall be reduced by the amount computed pursuant to Article 2.5 (commencing with Section 56836.155).

- (B) Determine the statewide target amount per unit of average daily attendance, measured in dollars and cents and rounded up to the nearest 50 cents (\$0.50), as computed pursuant to subdivision (a) of Section 56836.11.
- (C) The adjusted funding per unit of average daily 10 attendance is below the statewide target amount if the amount calculated pursuant to subparagraph subtracted from the amount calculated pursuant to subparagraph (B), yields a positive value.
- (D) If the computation made pursuant to subparagraph (C) yields a positive value, increase the special disabilities adjustment in the 1999–2000 fiscal year and each year thereafter by the percent increase in growth in average daily attendance reported by the special education local plan area and the inflation factor 20 computed pursuant to subdivision (b) of Section 42238.1 for the applicable fiscal year.
- (E) Inclusion of the special disabilities adjustment in 23 the total funding of a special education local plan area shall neither change nor be included in the computation of equalization funding pursuant to Section 56836.12 or computations made after this computation precede the computation in Section 56836.12.
 - (c) For the 1998-99 fiscal year and each fiscal year thereafter, the superintendent shall make the following computations to determine the amount of General Fund moneys that the special education local plan area may claim:
- (1) Add the total of the amount of property taxes 34 allocated to the special education local plan area pursuant to Section 2572 for the fiscal year in which the 36 computation is made to the amount of federal funds allocated to the special education local plan area pursuant to Part B of the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 et seq.) for the fiscal year in which the computation is made.

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(2) Add the amount of funding computed for the special education local plan area pursuant to subdivision (a) for the 1998-99 fiscal year, and commencing with the 1999–2000 fiscal year and each fiscal year thereafter, the amount computed for the fiscal year in which the computations were made pursuant to subdivision (b) to amount of funding computed for the special education local plan area pursuant to Article (commencing with Section 56836.16).

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- (3) Subtract the sum computed in paragraph (1) from the sum computed in paragraph (2).
- (d) For the 1998-99 fiscal year and each fiscal year 13 thereafter, the superintendent shall make the following 14 computations to determine the inflation adjustment for the fiscal year in which the computation is made:
- (1) For the 1998–99 fiscal year, multiply the statewide target amount per unit of average daily attendance for special education local plan areas for the 1997-98 fiscal year computed pursuant to paragraph (3) of Section 20 56836.11 by the inflation factor computed pursuant to subdivision (b) of Section 42238.1 for the 1998-99 fiscal year.
- (2) For the 1999-2000 fiscal year and each fiscal year 24 thereafter, multiply the statewide target amount per unit of average daily attendance for special education local plan areas for the prior fiscal year computed pursuant to 56836.11 by the inflation factor computed Section pursuant to subdivision (b) of Section 42238.1 for the fiscal year in which the computation is made.
- 30 SEC. 47. Section 56836.09 of the Education Code is 31 amended to read:
- 32 56836.09. For the purpose of computing the amount to apportion to each special education local plan area for the 1998-99 fiscal year, the superintendent shall compute the total amount of funding received by the special education local plan area for the 1997–98 fiscal year as 37 follows:
- (a) Add the following amounts that were received for 38 the 1997–98 fiscal year:

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(1) The total amount of federal funds available to the state pursuant to Part B of the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 et seq.) allocated to the special education local plan area for the purposes of special education for individuals with exceptional needs enrolled in kindergarten and grades 1 to 12, inclusive.

- (2) The total amount of federal funds available to the state pursuant to Part B of the Individuals with 10 Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 et seq.) allocated to the special education local plan area for the purposes of providing preschool and related services to individuals with exceptional needs who are ages 3 to 5 14 years, inclusive, pursuant to Chapter 4.45 (commencing with Section 56440).
 - (3) The total amount of property taxes allocated to the special education local plan area pursuant to Section 2572.
- (4) The total amount of General Fund moneys allocated to the special education local plan area pursuant to Chapter 7 (commencing with Section 56700) plus the total amount received for equalization pursuant to Chapter 7.1 (commencing with Section 56835), as those chapters existed on December 31, 1998. This amount shall include funds allocated pursuant to Section 56728.7, as 25 that section existed on December 31, 1998.
- (5) The total amount of General Fund moneys and 27 federal funds available to the state pursuant to Part B of 28 the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 et seq.) allocated to another special education local plan area for any pupils with exceptional needs who are served by the other special education local plan area but who are residents of the special education local plan area for which this computation is being made.
 - (b) Add the following amounts received in the 1997-98 fiscal year:
 - total amount determined for (1) The the special education local plan area for the purpose of providing nonpublic, nonsectarian school services licensed to children's institutions, foster family homes, residential medical facilities, and other similar facilities for the

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1997–98 fiscal year pursuant to Article 3 (commencing with Section 56836.16).

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- (2) The total amount of General Fund moneys and federal funds available to the state pursuant to Part B of the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 et seq.) allocated for any pupils with exceptional needs who are served by the special education local plan area but who do not reside within the boundaries of the special education local plan area.
- 10 (3) The total amount of General Fund monevs 11 allocated to the special education local plan area to 12 perform the regionalized operations and services 13 functions listed in Article 6 (commencing with Section 14 56836.23) and to provide the direct instructional support 15 of program specialists in accordance with Section 56368, 16 including amounts allocated for those purposes for special education for individuals with exceptional needs enrolled 17 18 in kindergarten and grades 1 to 12, inclusive, and for preschool and related services to individuals 20 exceptional needs who are three to five years of age 21 pursuant to Chapter 4.45 (commencing with Section 22 56440).
- amount of General (4) The total Fund 24 allocated to the special education local plan area for individuals with exceptional needs younger than three years of age pursuant to Chapter 7 (commencing with Section 56700), as that chapter existed on December 31, 1998.
- amount of General Fund moneys (5) The total 30 allocated to local education agencies within the special education local plan area pursuant to Section 56771, as that section existed on December 31, 1998, for specialized books, materials, and equipment for pupils 34 low-incidence disabilities.
- 35 (6) The total amount of federal funds available to the 36 state pursuant to Part B of the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 et seq.) allocated to the special education local plan area for the 38 purposes of providing funding for low-incidence

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disabilities and Project Workability I pursuant to Article 3 (commencing with Section 56470) of Chapter 4.5.

- (c) Subtract the sum computed in subdivision (b) from the sum computed in subdivision (a).
- SEC. 48. Section 56836.12 of the Education Code is 6 amended to read:
- 56836.12. (a) For the purpose of computing equalization adjustment for special education local plan areas for the 1998-99 fiscal year, the superintendent shall the following computations to determine amount that each special education local plan area that has an amount per unit of average daily attendance that 12 is below the statewide target amount per unit of average 14 daily attendance may request as an equalization adjustment:
- (1) Subtract the amount per unit of average daily attendance computed for the special education local plan 18 area pursuant to subdivision (a) of Section 56836.10 from 19 the statewide target amount per unit of average daily attendance determined pursuant to subdivision (a) of Section 56836.11.
- (2) If the remainder computed in paragraph (1) is 23 greater than zero, multiply that remainder by the number of units of average daily attendance reported for the special education local plan area for the 1997–98 fiscal vear.
- (b) Commencing with 1999–2000 fiscal the 28 through and including the fiscal year in equalization among the special education local plan areas 30 has been achieved, the superintendent shall make the following computations to determine the amount that each special education local plan area that has an amount per unit of average daily attendance that is below the 34 statewide target amount per unit of average attendance may request as an equalization adjustment:
 - Add to the amount per unit of average daily attendance computed for the special education local plan area pursuant to subdivision (b) of Section 56836.10 for the fiscal year in which the computation is made the inflation adjustment computed pursuant to subdivision

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(d) of Section 56836.08 for the fiscal year in which the computation is made.

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- (2) Subtract computed the amount pursuant paragraph (1) from the statewide target amount per unit of average daily attendance computed pursuant subdivision (b) of Section 56836.11 for the fiscal year in which the computation is made.
- (3) If the remainder computed in paragraph (2) is zero, multiply that remainder by number of units of average daily attendance reported for the special education local plan area for the prior fiscal year.
- SEC. 49. Section 56836.21 of the Education Code is 14 amended to read:
- Department 56836.21. (a) The State of Education 16 shall administer an extraordinary cost pool to protect special education local plan areas from the extraordinary costs associated with single placements in nonpublic, nonsectarian schools, excluding placements reimbursed Article (commencing with 20 pursuant to 3 Section 56836.16). Funds shall be appropriated for this purpose in 22 the annual Budget Act. Special education local plan areas shall be eligible for reimbursement from this pool in accordance with this section.
 - (b) The threshold amount for claims under this section shall be the lesser of the following:
 - (1) One percent of the allocation calculated pursuant to Section 56836.08 for the special education local plan area for the current fiscal year for any special education local plan area that meets the criteria in Section 56212.
 - (2) The State Department of Education shall calculate the average cost of a nonpublic, nonsectarian school placement in the 1997-98 fiscal year. This amount shall be multiplied by 2.5, then by one plus the inflation factor computed pursuant to Section 42238.1, to obtain the alternative threshold amount for claims in the 1998-99 fiscal year. In subsequent fiscal years, the alternative be shall the alternative threshold threshold amount amount for the prior fiscal year multiplied by one plus the inflation factor computed pursuant to Section 42238.1.

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(c) Special education local plan areas shall be eligible to submit claims for costs of any new nonpublic, nonsectarian school placements in excess of those in existence in the 1997-98 fiscal year and exceeding the threshold amount on forms developed by the State Department of Education. All claims for a fiscal year shall be submitted by November 30 following the close of the fiscal year. If the total amount claimed by special 9 local plan exceeds education areas the amount appropriated, the claims shall be prorated. 10

SEC. 50. Section 56836.24 of the Education Code is amended to read:

56836.24. Commencing with the 1998–99 fiscal year 14 and each year thereafter, the superintendent shall make the following computations to determine the amount of funding for the purposes specified in Section 56836.23 to apportion to each special education local plan area for the fiscal year in which the computation is made:

- (a) For the 1998–99 fiscal year the superintendent shall 20 make the following computations:
- (1) Multiply the total amount of state General Fund 22 money allocated to the special education local plan areas 23 in the 1997–98 fiscal year, for the purposes of Article 9 24 (commencing with Section 56780) of Chapter 7, as that 25 chapter existed on December 31, 1998, including amounts 26 allocated for those purposes for special education for 27 individuals with exceptional needs enrolled kindergarten and grades 1 to 12, inclusive, and for preschool and related services to individuals 30 exceptional needs who are three to five years of age, pursuant to Chapter 4.5 (commencing with Section 56440), by one plus the inflation factor computed pursuant to subdivision (b) of Section 42238.1 for the 34 1998–99 fiscal year.
- 35 (2) Divide the amount calculated in paragraph (1) by 36 the units of average daily attendance reported for the special education local plan area for the 1997-98 fiscal 37 38 year.
- (3) To determine the amount to be allocated to each 39 special education local plan area in the 1998–99 fiscal year,

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the superintendent shall multiply the amount computed in paragraph (2) by the number of units of average daily attendance reported for the special education local plan area for the 1998-99 fiscal year, except that a special education local plan area designated as a necessary small special education local plan area in accordance with Section 56212 and reporting fewer than 15,000 units of average daily attendance for the 1998-99 fiscal year shall be deemed to have 15,000 units of average daily attendance, and no special education local plan area shall 10 receive less than it received in the 1997–98 fiscal year. 12

- (b) For the 1999-2000 fiscal year and each fiscal year 13 thereafter, the superintendent shall make the following 14 calculations:
- (1) Multiply the amount determined in paragraph (2) 16 of subdivision (a) by one plus the inflation factor computed pursuant to subdivision (b) of Section 42238.1 18 for the current fiscal year.
- (2) Multiply the amount determined in paragraph (1) 20 by the number of units of average daily attendance reported for the special education local plan area for the current fiscal year, except that a special education local plan area designated as a necessary small 24 education local plan area in accordance with Section 56212 and reporting fewer than 15,000 units of average daily attendance for the current fiscal year shall be deemed to have 15,000 units of average daily attendance.
- 28 SEC. 51. Section 56864 of the Education Code is 29 amended to read:
 - 56864. Individuals with exceptional needs under this chapter shall not be subject to residing in state hospitals shall not be included within the funding calculation made pursuant to Chapter 7.2 (commencing with Section 56836).

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- SEC. 52. Section 97.2 of the Revenue and Taxation 36 37 Code is amended to read:
- 97.2. Notwithstanding any other provision of 38 chapter, the computations and allocations made by each county pursuant to Section 96.1 or its predecessor section

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shall be modified for the 1992–93 fiscal year pursuant to subdivisions (a) to (d), inclusive, and for the 1997–98 and 1998–99 fiscal years pursuant to subdivision (e), as follows:

(a) (1) Except as provided in paragraph (2), the amount of property tax revenue deemed allocated in the prior fiscal year to each county shall be reduced by the dollar amounts indicated as follows, multiplied by .953649:

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9		Property
10		Tax Reduction
11		per County
12	Alameda	\$ 27,323,576
13	Alpine	5,169
14	Amador	286,131
15	Butte	846,452
16	Calaveras	507,526
17	Colusa	186,438
18	Contra Costa	12,504,318
19	Del Norte	46,523
20	El Dorado	1,544,590
21	Fresno	5,387,570
22	Glenn	378,055
23	Humboldt	1,084,968
24	Imperial	998,222
25	Inyo	366,402
26	Kern	6,907,282
27	Kings	1,303,774
28	Lake	998,222
29	Lassen	93,045
30	Los Angeles	244,178,806
31	Madera	809,194
32	Marin	3,902,258
33	Mariposa	40,136
34	Mendocino	1,004,112
35	Merced	2,445,709
36	Modoc	134,650
37	Mono	319,793
38	Monterey	2,519,507
39	Napa	1,362,036
40	Nevada	762,585

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1	Orange	9,900,654
2	Placer	1,991,265
3	Plumas	71,076
4	Riverside	7,575,353
5	Sacramento	15,323,634
6	San Benito	198,090
7	San Bernardino	14,467,099
8	San Diego	17,687,776
9	San Francisco	53,266,991
10	San Joaquin	8,574,869
11	San Luis Obispo	2,547,990
12	San Mateo	7,979,302
13	Santa Barbara	4,411,812
14	Santa Clara	20,103,706
15	Santa Cruz	1,416,413
16	Shasta	1,096,468
17	Sierra	97,103
18	Siskiyou	467,390
19	Solano	5,378,048
20	Sonoma	5,455,911
21	Stanislaus	2,242,129
22	Sutter	831,204
23	Tehama	450,559
24	Trinity	50,399
25	Tulare	4,228,525
26	Tuolumne	740,574
27	Ventura	9,412,547
28	Yolo	1,860,499
29	Yuba	842,857
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(2) Notwithstanding paragraph (1), the amount of the 32 reduction specified in that paragraph for any county or city and county that has been materially and substantially 34 impacted as a result of a federally declared disaster, as evidenced by at least 20 percent of the cities, or cities and unincorporated areas of the county representing percent of the population within the county suffering 38 substantial damage, as certified by the Director of the Emergency Services, occurring 40 October 1, 1989, and the effective date of this section, shall

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be reduced by that portion of five million dollars (\$5,000,000) determined for that county or city county pursuant to subparagraph (B) of paragraph (3).

- (3) On or before October 1, 1992, the Director of Finance shall do all of the following:
- (A) Determine the population of each county and city and county in which a federally declared disaster has occurred between October 1, 1989, and the effective date of this section.
- (B) Determine for each county and city and county as described in subparagraph (A) its share of five million (\$5,000,000) on the basis of that county's dollars population relative to the total population of all counties described in subparagraph (A).
- (C) Notify each auditor of each county and city and 16 county the amounts determined of pursuant subparagraph (B).
- (b) (1) Except as provided in paragraph (2), amount of property tax revenue deemed allocated in the prior fiscal year to each city, except for a newly incorporated city that did not receive property revenues in the 1991-92 fiscal year, shall be reduced by 9 percent. In making the above computation with respect 24 to cities in Alameda County, the computation for a city described in paragraph (6) of subdivision (a) of Section 100.7, as added by Section 73.5 of Chapter 323 of the Statutes of 1983, shall be adjusted so that the amount multiplied by 9 percent is reduced by the amount determined for that city for "museums" pursuant to paragraph (2) of subdivision (h) of Section 95.
- (2) Notwithstanding paragraph (1), the amount of the 32 reduction determined pursuant to that paragraph for any city that has been materially and substantially impacted 34 as a result of a federally declared disaster, as certified by 35 the Director of the Office of Emergency Services, 36 occurring between October 1, 1989, and the effective date of this section, shall be reduced by that portion of fifteen million dollars (\$15,000,000) determined for that city pursuant to subparagraph (B) of paragraph (3).

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(3) On or before October 1, 1992, the Director of Finance shall do all of the following:

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- (A) Determine the population of each city in which a federally declared disaster has occurred October 1, 1989, and the effective date of this section.
- described (B) Determine for each city subparagraph (A) its share of fifteen million dollars (\$15,000,000) on the basis of that city's population relative to the total population of all cities subparagraph (A).
- (C) Notify each auditor of each county and city and of county the determined pursuant amounts subparagraph (B).
- (4) In the 1992-93 fiscal year and each fiscal year 15 thereafter, the auditor shall adjust the computations required pursuant to Article 4 (commencing with Section 98) so that those computations do not result in the 18 restoration of any reduction required pursuant to this section.
- (c) (1) Subject to paragraph (2),the amount 21 property tax revenue, other than those revenues that are 22 pledged to debt service, deemed allocated in the prior 23 fiscal year to a special district, other than a multicounty district, a local hospital district, or a district governed by a city council or whose governing board has the same membership as a city council, shall be reduced by 35 percent. For purposes of this subdivision, "revenues that are pledged to debt service" include only those amounts required to pay debt service costs in the 1991-92 fiscal 30 year on debt instruments issued by a special district for the acquisition of capital assets.
- (2) No reduction pursuant to paragraph (1) for any special district, other than a countywide water agency 34 that does not sell water at retail, shall exceed an amount equal to 10 percent of that district's total annual revenues, 36 from whatever source, as shown in the 1989-90 edition of the State Controller's Report on Financial Transactions Concerning Special Districts (not including any annual revenues from fiscal years following the 1989-90 fiscal year). With respect to any special district, as defined

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pursuant to subdivision (m) of Section 95, that is allocated property tax revenue pursuant to this chapter but does not appear in the State Controller's Report on Financial Transactions Concerning Special Districts, the auditor shall determine the total annual revenues for that special district from the information in the 1989-90 edition of the Controller's Report on Financial Concerning Counties. With respect to a special district that did not exist in the 1989-90 fiscal year, the auditor 10 may use information from the first full fiscal year, as appropriate, to determine the total annual revenues for 12 that special district. No reduction pursuant to paragraph 13 (1) for any countywide water agency that does not sell 14 water at retail shall exceed an amount equal to 10 percent 15 of that portion of that agency's general fund derived from 16 property tax revenues. 17

- (3) The auditor in each county shall, on or before 18 January 15, 1993, and on or before January 30 of each year submit information Controller 19 thereafter, to the 20 concerning the amount of the property tax revenue 21 reduction to each special district within that county as a 22 result of paragraphs (1) and (2). The Controller shall 23 certify that the calculation of the property tax revenue 24 reduction to each special district within that county is 25 accurate and correct, and submit this information to the 26 Director of Finance.
- (A) The Director of Finance shall determine whether 28 the total of the amounts of the property tax revenue reductions to special districts, as certified by 30 Controller, is equal to the amount that would be required 31 to be allocated to school districts and community college districts as a result of a three hundred seventy-five million dollar (\$375,000,000) shift of property tax revenues from 34 special districts for the 1992–93 fiscal year. If, for any year, 35 the total of the amount of the property tax revenue 36 reductions to special districts is less than the amount as described in the preceding sentence, the amount of 38 property tax revenue, other than those revenues that are pledged to debt service, deemed allocated in the prior 40 fiscal year to a special district, other than a multicounty

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district, a local hospital district, or a district governed by a city council or whose governing board has the same as a city council, shall, membership subject subparagraph (B), be reduced by an amount up to 5 percent of the amount subject to reduction for that district pursuant to paragraphs (1) and (2).

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- (B) No reduction pursuant to subparagraph (A), in conjunction with a reduction pursuant to paragraphs (1) and (2), for any special district, other than a countywide 10 water agency that does not sell water at retail, shall exceed an amount equal to 10 percent of that district's total annual revenues, from whatever source, as shown in the most recent State Controller's Report on Financial Transactions Concerning Special Districts. No reduction pursuant to subparagraph (A), in conjunction with a 16 reduction pursuant to paragraphs (1) and (2), for any countywide water agency that does not sell water at retail shall exceed an amount equal to 10 percent of that portion of that agency's general fund derived from property tax revenues.
- (C) In no event shall the amount of the property tax 22 revenue loss to a special district derived pursuant to subparagraphs (A) and (B) exceed 40 percent of that district's property tax revenues or 10 percent of that district's total revenues, from whatever source.
 - (4) For the purpose of determining the total annual revenues of a special district that provides fire protection or fire suppression services, all of the following shall be excluded from the determination of revenues:
 - (A) If the district had less than two million dollars (\$2,000,000) in total annual revenues in the 1991–92 fiscal year, the revenue generated by a fire suppression assessment levied pursuant to Article 3.6 (commencing with Section 50078) of Chapter 1 of Part 1 of Division 1 of Title 5 of the Government Code.
 - (B) In counties that contract with the state to protect state responsibility areas, the total amount of all funds, regardless of the source, that are appropriated to a district, including a fire department, by a board of

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supervisors pursuant to Section 25642 of the Government Code or Chapter 7 (commencing with Section 13890) of 3 Part 2.7 of Division 12 of the Health and Safety Code for fire protection.

- (C) The revenue received by a district as a result of 6 contracts entered into pursuant to Section 4133 of the Public Resources Code.
- (5) For the purpose of determining the total annual revenues of a resource conservation district, all of the 10 following shall be excluded from the determination of total annual revenues:
- (A) Any revenues received by that district from the 13 state for financing the acquisition of land, or 14 construction or improvement of state projects, and for the fiscal which that district serves as 16 administering those state funds pursuant to an agreement entered into between that district and a state agency.
 - (B) Any amount received by that district as a private gift or donation.
 - (C) Any amount received as a county grant or contract as supplemental to, or independent of, that district's property tax share.
- (D) Any amount received by that district as a federal 24 or state grant.
- (d) (1) The amount of property tax revenues allocated to the county, cities within the county, and special districts as a result of the reductions calculated 28 pursuant to subdivisions (a), (b), and (c) shall instead be 29 deposited in the Educational Revenue Augmentation 30 Fund to be established in each county. The amount of in the Educational Revenue Augmentation 32 Fund, derived from whatever source, shall be allocated pursuant to paragraphs (2) and (3) to school districts and 34 county offices of education, in total, and to community 35 college districts, in total, in the same proportion that 36 property tax revenues were distributed to school districts and county offices of education, in total, and community college districts, in total, during the 1991–92 fiscal year.
- 39 (2) The auditor shall, based on information provided by the county superintendent of schools pursuant to this

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paragraph, allocate the proportion of the Educational Revenue Augmentation Fund to those school districts and county offices of education within the county that are not excess tax school entities, as defined in subdivision (n) of Section 95. The county superintendent of schools shall determine the amount to be allocated to each school district and county office of education in inverse proportion to the amounts of property tax revenue per average daily attendance in each school district and county office of education. In no event shall 10 additional money be allocated from the fund to a school district or county office of education upon that school 12 13 district or county office of education becoming an excess 14 tax school entity. 15

(3) The auditor shall, based on information provided 16 by the Chancellor of the California Community Colleges pursuant to this paragraph, allocate the proportion of the 18 Educational Revenue Augmentation Fund community college districts within the county that are not excess tax school entities, as defined in subdivision (n) of Section 95. The chancellor shall determine the amount 22 to be allocated to each community college district in inverse proportion to the amounts of property tax revenue per funded full-time equivalent student in each community college district. In no event shall anv additional money be allocated from the fund to a community college district upon that district becoming an excess tax school entity.

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- after making the (4) (A) If, allocation pursuant to paragraph (2), the auditor determines that there are still additional funds to be allocated, the auditor shall allocate those excess funds pursuant to paragraph (3). If, after making the allocation pursuant to paragraph 34 (3), the auditor determines that there are still additional 35 funds to be allocated, the auditor shall allocate those 36 excess funds pursuant to paragraph (2).
 - (B) (i) For the 1995-96 fiscal year and each fiscal year thereafter, if, after making the allocations pursuant to paragraphs (2) and (3) and subparagraph (A), auditor determines that there are still additional funds to

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be allocated, the auditor shall, subject to clauses (ii) and excess allocate those funds to the county 3 superintendent of schools. Funds allocated pursuant to this subparagraph shall be counted as property 5 education revenues for special programs augmentation of the amount calculated pursuant 6 to Section 2572 of the Education Code, to the extent that those property tax revenues offset state aid for county offices of education and school districts within the county 10 pursuant to subdivision (c) of Section 56836.08 of the Education Code.

- (ii) For the 1995–96 fiscal year only, this subparagraph 13 shall have no application to the County of Mono and the 14 amount allocated pursuant to this subparagraph in the County of Marin shall not exceed five million dollars 16 (\$5,000,000).
- (iii) For the 1996-97 fiscal year only, the total amount 18 of funds allocated by the auditor pursuant to this subparagraph and subparagraph (B) of paragraph (4) of subdivision (d) of Section 97.3 shall not exceed that portion of two million five hundred thousand dollars (\$2,500,000) that corresponds to the county's proportionate share of all moneys allocated pursuant to this subparagraph and subparagraph (B) of paragraph 25 (4) of subdivision (d) of Section 97.3 for the 1995–96 fiscal year. Upon the request of the auditor, the Department of 27 Finance shall provide to the auditor all information in the department's possession that is necessary for the auditor to comply with this clause.
- of allocating (C) For purposes the Educational 31 Revenue Augmentation Fund for the 1996-97 fiscal year, the auditor shall, after making the allocations for special education programs, if any, required by subparagraph 34 (B), allocate all remaining funds among the county, cities, and special districts in proportion to the amounts 36 of ad valorem property tax revenue otherwise required 37 to be shifted from those local agencies to the county's Educational Revenue Augmentation Fund 38 for the relevant fiscal year. For purposes of ad valorem property tax revenue allocations for the 1997-98 fiscal year and

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each fiscal year thereafter, no amount of ad valorem property tax revenue allocated to the county, a city, or a special district pursuant to this subparagraph shall be deemed to be an amount of ad valorem property tax 5 revenue allocated to that local agency in the prior fiscal 6 year.

- (5) For purposes of allocations made pursuant to Section 96.1 or its predecessor section for the 1993–94 fiscal year, the amounts allocated from the Educational pursuant 10 Revenue Augmentation Fund subdivision, other than amounts deposited in the 12 Educational Revenue Augmentation Fund pursuant to 13 Section 33681 of the Health and Safety Code, shall be 14 deemed property tax revenue allocated the 15 Educational Revenue Augmentation Fund in the prior 16 fiscal year.
 - (e) (1) For the 1997–98 fiscal year:

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- (A) The amount of property tax revenue deemed 19 allocated in the prior fiscal year to any city subject to the reduction specified in paragraph (2) of subdivision (b) shall be reduced by an amount that is equal to the difference between the amount determined for the city pursuant to paragraph (1) of subdivision (b) and the amount of the reduction determined for the city pursuant 25 to paragraph (2) of subdivision (b).
- (B) The amount of property tax revenue deemed 27 allocated in the prior fiscal year to any county or city and county subject to the reduction specified in paragraph 29 (2) of subdivision (a) shall be reduced by an amount that 30 is equal to the difference between the amount specified 31 for the county or city and county pursuant to paragraph (1) of subdivision (a) and the amount of the reduction determined for the county or city and county pursuant to paragraph (2) of subdivision (a).
- 35 (2) The amount of property tax revenues not allocated 36 to a city or city and county as a result of this subdivision 37 shall deposited in the Educational Augmentation Fund described in subparagraph (A) of 38 paragraph (1) of subdivision (d).

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(3) For purposes of allocations made pursuant to Section 96.1 for the 1998–99 fiscal year, the amounts allocated from the Educational Revenue Augmentation Fund pursuant to this subdivision shall be deemed property tax revenues allocated to the Educational Revenue Augmentation Fund in the prior fiscal year.

(f) It is the intent of the Legislature in enacting this section that this section supersede and be operative in place of Section 97.03 of the Revenue and Taxation Code, as added by Senate Bill 617 of the 1991–92 Regular Session.

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- SEC. 53. Section 97.3 of the Revenue and Taxation Code is amended to read:
- 97.3. Notwithstanding any other provision of this chapter, the computations and allocations made by each county pursuant to Section 96.1 or its predecessor section, as modified by Section 97.2 or its predecessor section for the 1992–93 fiscal year, shall be modified for the 1993–94 fiscal year pursuant to subdivisions (a) to (c), inclusive, as follows:
- (a) The amount of property tax revenue deemed allocated in the prior fiscal year to each county and city and county shall be reduced by an amount to be determined by the Director of Finance in accordance with the following:
- (1) The total amount of the property tax reductions for counties and cities and counties determined pursuant to this section shall be one billion nine hundred ninety-eight million dollars (\$1,998,000,000) in the 1993–94 fiscal year.
- (2) The Director of Finance shall determine the amount of the reduction for each county or city and county as follows:
- 33 (A) The proportionate share of the property tax 34 revenue reduction for each county or city and county that 35 would have been imposed on all counties under the 36 proposal specified in the "May Revision of the 1993–94 37 Governor's Budget" shall be determined by reference to 38 the document entitled "Estimated County Property Tax 39 Transfers Under Governor's May Revision Proposal,"

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- (B) Each county's or city and county's proportionate share of total taxable sales in all counties in the 1991-92 fiscal year shall be determined.
- (C) An amount for each county and city and county shall be determined by applying its proportionate share determined pursuant to subparagraph (A) to the one billion nine ninety-eight million hundred 10 (\$1,998,000,000) statewide reduction for counties cities and counties.
- (D) An amount for each county and city and county 13 shall be determined by applying its proportionate share 14 determined pursuant to subparagraph (B) to the one ninety-eight billion nine hundred million dollar 16 (\$1,998,000,000) statewide reduction for counties and cities and counties.
- (E) The Director of Finance shall add the amounts 19 determined pursuant to subparagraphs (C) and (D) for 20 each county and city and county, and divide the resulting figure by two. The amount so determined for each county and city and county shall be divided by a factor of 1.038. The resulting figure shall be the amount of property tax 24 revenue to be subtracted from the amount of property tax 25 revenue deemed allocated in the prior fiscal year.
- (3) The Director of Finance shall, by July 15, 1993, 27 report to the Joint Legislative Budget Committee its determination of the amounts determined pursuant to paragraph (2).
- (4) On or before August 15, 1993, the Director of 31 Finance shall notify the auditor of each county and city and county of the amount of property tax revenue reduction determined for each county and city 34 county.
- (5) Notwithstanding any other provision this 36 subdivision, the amount of the reduction specified in paragraph (2) for any county or city and county that has first implemented, for the 1993–94 fiscal year, alternative procedure for the distribution of property tax authorized by Chapter 2 (commencing

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paragraph (2).

Section 4701) of Part 8 shall be reduced, for the 1993-94 fiscal year only, in the amount of any increased revenue allocated to each qualifying school entity that would not have been allocated for the 1993-94 fiscal year but for the alternative 5 that implementation of procedure. purposes of this paragraph, "qualifying school entity" 6 means any school district, county office of education, or community college district that is not an excess tax school entity as defined in Section 95.1. Notwithstanding any 10 other provision of this paragraph, the amount of any reduction calculated pursuant to this paragraph for any county or city and county shall not exceed the reduction 12 13 calculated for that county or city and county pursuant to

- (b) The amount of property tax revenue deemed 16 allocated in the prior fiscal year to each city shall be reduced by an amount to be determined by the Director 18 of Finance in accordance with the following:
- (1) The total amount of the property tax reductions 20 determined for cities pursuant to this section shall be two hundred eighty-eight million dollars (\$288,000,000) in the 21 22 1993–94 fiscal year.
- (2) The Director of Finance shall determine 24 amount of reduction for each city as follows:
- (A) The amount of property tax revenue that is 26 estimated to be attributable in the 1993-94 fiscal year to the amount of each city's state assistance payment received by that city pursuant to Chapter 282 of the Statutes of 1979 shall be determined.
 - (B) A factor for each city equal to the amount determined pursuant to subparagraph (A) for that city, divided by the total of the amounts determined pursuant to subparagraph (A) for all cities, shall be determined.
- 34 (C) An amount for each city equal to the factor 35 determined pursuant to subparagraph (B), multiplied by 36 three hundred eighty-two million five hundred thousand dollars (\$382,500,000), shall be determined. 37
- 38 (D) In no event shall the amount for any city determined pursuant to subparagraph (C) exceed a per capita amount of nineteen dollars and thirty-one cents

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(\$19.31), as determined in accordance with that city's population on January 1, 1993, as estimated by the Department of Finance.

- (E) The amount determined for each city pursuant to subparagraphs (C) and (D) shall be the amount of property tax revenue to be subtracted from the amount of property tax revenue deemed allocated in the prior vear.
- (3) The Director of Finance shall, by July 15, 1993, 10 report to the Joint Legislative Budget Committee those amounts determined pursuant to paragraph (2).
- (4) On or before August 15, 1993, the Director of 13 Finance shall notify each county auditor of the amount of 14 property tax revenue reduction determined for each city 15 located within that county.
 - (c) (1) The amount of property tax revenue deemed allocated in the prior fiscal year to each special district, as defined pursuant to subdivision (m) of Section 95, shall be reduced by the amount determined for the district pursuant to paragraph (3) and increased by the amount determined for the district pursuant to paragraph (4). The total net amount of these changes is intended to equal hundred forty-four million dollars two (\$244,000,000) in the 1993–94 fiscal year.
 - (2) (A) Notwithstanding any other provision of this subdivision, no reduction shall be made pursuant to this subdivision with respect to any of the following special districts:
- (i) A local hospital district as described in Division 23 30 (commencing with Section 32000) of the Health and Safety Code.
 - (ii) A water agency that does not sell water at retail, but not including an agency the primary function of which, as determined on the basis of total revenues, is flood control.
- 36 (iii) A transit district.

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(iv) A police protection district formed pursuant to 37 38 Part 1 (commencing with Section 20000) of Division 14 of the Health and Safety Code.

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- (v) A special district that was a multicounty special district as of July 1, 1979.
- other provision of (B) Notwithstanding any subdivision, the first one hundred four thousand dollars (\$104,000) of the amount of any reduction that otherwise would be made under this subdivision with respect to a qualifying community services district shall be excluded. of this purposes subparagraph, a "qualifying community services district" means a community service district that meets all of the following requirements:
- (i) Was formed pursuant to Division 3 (commencing with Section 61000) of Title 6 of the Government Code.
- (ii) Succeeded to the duties and properties of a police protection district upon the dissolution of that district.
- (iii) Currently provides police protection services to 16 substantially the same territory as did that district.
- (iv) Is located within a county in which the board of 18 supervisors has requested the Department of Finance that this subparagraph be operative in the county.
- (3) (A) On or before September 15, 1993, the county auditor shall determine an amount for each special district equal to the amount of its allocation determined pursuant to Section 96 or 96.1, and Section 96.5 or their predecessor sections for the 1993-94 fiscal year multiplied by the ratio determined pursuant to paragraph (1) of subdivision (a) of former Section 98.6 as that section read on June 15, 1993. In those counties that were subject to former Sections 98.66, 98.67, and 98.68, as those sections read on that same date, the county auditor determine amount for each special district that an represents the current amount of its determined pursuant to Section 96 or 96.1, and Section 96.5 or their predecessor sections for the 1993–94 fiscal 34 year that is attributed to the property tax shift from 35 schools required by Chapter 282 of the Statutes of 1979. 36 In that county subject to Section 100.4, the county auditor shall determine an amount for each special district that represents the amount of its allocations current determined pursuant to Section 96, 96.1, 96.5, or 100.4 or their predecessor sections for the 1993-94 fiscal year that

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is attributable to the property tax shift from schools required by Chapter 282 of the Statutes of 1979. In determining these amounts, the county auditor shall adjust for the influence of increased assessed valuation within each district, including the effect of jurisdictional changes, and the reductions in property tax allocations required in the 1992-93 fiscal year by Chapters 699 and 1369 of the Statutes of 1992. In the case of a special district that has been consolidated or reorganized, the auditor shall determine the amount of its current property tax 10 allocation that is attributable to the prior district's or districts' receipt of state assistance payments pursuant to 12 13 Chapter 282 of the Statutes of 1979. Notwithstanding any 14 other provision of this paragraph, for a special district that 15 is governed by a city council or whose governing board 16 has the same membership as a city council and that is a subsidiary district as defined in subdivision (e) of Section 17 16271 of the Government Code, the county auditor shall multiply the amount that otherwise would be calculated pursuant to this paragraph by 0.38 and the result shall be used in the calculations required by paragraph (5). In no event shall the amount determined by this paragraph be 23 less than zero. 24

- 24 (B) Notwithstanding subparagraph (A), commencing with the 1994–95 fiscal year, in the County of Sacramento, the auditor shall determine the amount for each special district that represents the current amount of its allocations determined pursuant to Section 96, 96.1, 96.5, or 100.6 for the 1994–95 fiscal year that is attributed to the property tax shift from schools required by Chapter 282 of the Statutes of 1979.
- 32 (4) (A) (i) On or before September 15, 1993, the 33 county auditor shall determine an amount for each 34 special district that is engaged in fire protection activities, 35 as reported to the Controller for inclusion in the 1989–90 36 Edition of the Financial Transactions Report Concerning 37 Special Districts under the heading of "Fire Protection," 38 that is equal to the amount of revenue allocated to that 39 special district from the Special District Augmentation 40 Fund for fire protection activities in the 1992–93 fiscal

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year. For purposes of the preceding sentence for counties of the second class, the phrase "amount of revenue allocated to that special district" means an amount of revenue that was identified for transfer to that special district, rather than the amount of revenue that was actually received by that special district pursuant to that transfer.

- (ii) In the case of a special district, other than a special district governed by the county board of supervisors or 10 whose governing body is the same as the county board of supervisors, that is engaged in fire protection activities as 12 reported to the Controller, the county auditor shall also 13 determine the amount by which the district's amount 14 determined pursuant to paragraph (3) exceeds amount by which its allocation was reduced by operation 16 of former Section 98.6 in the 1992–93 fiscal year. This amount shall be added to the amount otherwise 18 determined for the district under this paragraph. In any county subject to former Section 98.65, 98.66, 98.67, or 20 98.68 in that same fiscal year, the county auditor shall determine for each special district that is engaged in fire protection activities an amount that is equal to amount determined for that district pursuant paragraph (3).
- (B) For purposes of this paragraph, a special district 26 includes any special district that is allocated property tax revenue pursuant to this chapter and does not appear in the State Controller's Report on Financial Transactions Concerning Special Districts, but is engaged in fire 30 protection activities and appears in the State Controller's 31 Report on Financial Transactions Concerning Counties.
- (5) The total amount of property taxes allocated to special districts by the county auditor as a result of paragraph (4) shall be subtracted from the amount of property tax revenues not allocated to special districts by 36 the county auditor as a result of paragraph (3) to determine the amount to be deposited in the Education Revenue Augmentation Fund as specified in subdivision 39 (d).

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(6) On or before September 30, 1993, the county auditor shall notify the Director of Finance of the net determined for special districts pursuant to amount paragraph (5).

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- (d) (1) The amount of property tax revenues not allocated to the county, city and county, cities within the county, and special districts as a result of the reductions required by subdivisions (a), (b), and (c) shall instead be deposited in the Educational Revenue Augmentation 10 Fund established in each county or city and county pursuant to Section 97.2. The amount of revenue in the 12 Educational Revenue Augmentation Fund, derived from 13 whatever source, shall be allocated pursuant 14 paragraphs (2) and (3) to school districts and county offices of education, in total, and to community college 16 districts, in total, in the same proportion that property tax revenues were distributed to school districts and county 17 offices of education, in total, and community college districts, in total, during the 1992–93 fiscal year.
- (2) The county auditor shall, based on information by the county superintendent of provided pursuant to this paragraph, allocate that proportion of the the Educational Revenue in Augmentation 24 Fund to be allocated to school districts and county offices 25 of education only to those school districts and county offices of education within the county that are not excess tax school entities, as defined in subdivision (n) of Section 95. The county superintendent of schools shall determine 29 the amount to be allocated to each school district in 30 inverse proportion to the amounts of property revenue per average daily attendance in each school For each county office of education, the district. allocation shall be made based on the historical split of base property tax revenue between the county office of education and school districts within the county. In no 36 event shall any additional money be allocated from the 37 Educational Revenue Augmentation Fund to a school district or county office of education upon that district or county office of education becoming an excess tax school entity. If, after determining the amount to be allocated to

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each school district and county office of education, the county superintendent of schools determines there are 3 still additional funds to be allocated, the county superintendent of schools shall determine the remainder 5 to be allocated in inverse proportion to the amounts of property tax revenue, excluding Educational Revenue Augmentation Fund moneys, per average attendance in each remaining school district, and on the basis of the historical split described above for each 10 county office of education, that is not an excess tax school entity until all funds that would not result in a school district or county office of education becoming an excess 12 13 school entity are allocated. The superintendent of schools may determine the amounts to 14 be allocated between each school district and county 15 office of education to ensure that all funds that would not 17 result in a school district or county office of education 18 becoming an excess tax school entity are allocated. 19

- (3) The county auditor shall, based on information 20 provided by the Chancellor of the California Community pursuant to this paragraph, allocate proportion of the revenue in the Educational Revenue Augmentation Fund to be allocated to community college districts only to those community college districts within the county that are not excess tax school entities, as defined in subdivision (n) of Section 95. The chancellor shall determine the amount to be allocated to each community college district in inverse proportion to the amounts of property tax revenue per funded full-time equivalent student in each community college district. In no event shall any additional money be allocated from the Educational Revenue Augmentation Fund community college district upon that district becoming an excess tax school entity.
- 35 (4) (A) If. after making the allocation required 36 pursuant to paragraph (2), the auditor determines that there are still additional funds to be allocated, the auditor shall allocate those excess funds pursuant to paragraph (3). If, after making the allocation pursuant to paragraph 40 (3), the auditor determines that there are still additional

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funds to be allocated, the auditor shall allocate those excess funds pursuant to paragraph (2). If. after determining the amount to be allocated each to district, of community college the Chancellor the 5 California Community Colleges determines that are still additional funds to be allocated, the Chancellor of the California Community Colleges shall determine the remainder to be allocated to each community college district in inverse proportion to the amounts of property 10 revenue. excluding Educational Revenue 11 Augmentation Fund moneys, per funded full-time equivalent student in each remaining community college 12 district that is not an excess tax school entity until all funds 14 that would not result in a community college district 15 becoming an excess tax school entity are allocated. 16

(B) (i) For the 1995–96 fiscal year and each fiscal year thereafter, if, after making the allocations pursuant to paragraphs (2) and (3) and subparagraph (A), the auditor determines that there are still additional funds to be allocated, the auditor shall, subject to clauses (ii) and funds (iii). allocate those excess to the superintendent of schools. Funds allocated pursuant to this subparagraph shall be counted as property programs 24 revenues for special education in augmentation of the amount calculated pursuant to Section 2572 of the Education Code, to the extent that those property tax revenues offset state aid for county offices of education and school districts within the county pursuant to subdivision (c) of Section 56836.08 of the 30 Education Code.

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- (ii) For the 1995–96 fiscal year only, this subparagraph 32 shall have no application to the County of Mono and the amount allocated pursuant to this subparagraph in the 34 County of Marin shall not exceed five million dollars (\$5,000,000).
 - (iii) For the 1996-97 fiscal year only, the total amount of funds allocated by the auditor pursuant to this subparagraph and subparagraph (B) of paragraph (4) of subdivision (d) of Section 97.2 shall not exceed that portion of two million five hundred thousand dollars

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- 1 (\$2,500,000) that corresponds to the county's 2 proportionate share of all moneys allocated pursuant to 3 this subparagraph and subparagraph (B) of paragraph 4 (4) of subdivision (d) of Section 97.2 for the 1995–96 fiscal 5 year. Upon the request of the auditor, the Department of 6 Finance shall provide to the auditor all information in the 7 department's possession that is necessary for the auditor 8 to comply with this clause.
- 9 (C) For purposes of allocating the Educational 10 Revenue Augmentation Fund for the 1996-97 fiscal year, the auditor shall, after making the allocations for special 12 education programs, if any, required by subparagraph 13 (B), allocate all remaining funds among the county, 14 cities, and special districts in proportion to the amounts 15 of ad valorem property tax revenue otherwise required 16 to be shifted from those local agencies to the county's 17 Educational Revenue Augmentation Fund for the 18 relevant fiscal year. For purposes of ad valorem property tax revenue allocations for the 1997–98 fiscal year and 20 each fiscal year thereafter, no amount of ad valorem property tax revenue allocated to the county, a city, or a 22 special district pursuant to this subparagraph shall be deemed to be an amount of ad valorem property tax revenue allocated to that local agency in the prior fiscal 25 year.
- (5) For purposes of allocations made pursuant to 26 27 Section 96.1 for the 1994–95 fiscal year, the amounts allocated from the Educational Revenue Augmentation this Fund pursuant to subdivision, other than those Educational amounts deposited in the Revenue Augmentation Fund pursuant to any provision of the 32 Health and Safety Code, shall be deemed property tax revenue allocated to the Educational Revenue 34 Augmentation Fund in the prior fiscal year.
- 35 SEC. 53.
- 36 SEC. 54. This act shall become operative July 1, 1998.
- 37 SEC. 54.
- 38 SEC. 55. This act is an urgency statute necessary for 39 the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, 40 or safety within the meaning of Article IV of the

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- 1 Constitution and shall go into immediate effect. The facts
- 2 constituting the necessity are:
- In order to ensure that special education funding
- 4 reform is implemented appropriately pursuant to
- 5 Chapter 854 of the Statutes of 1997, it is necessary that this
- 6 act take effect immediately.